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HINSDALE, N. H.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

DECEMBER 31, 1952



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TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator

JASON W. HOLMAN

Selectmen and Assessors

J. DAVID DUGGAN	Term expires 1953
CLIFFORD D. STEARNS	Term expires 1954
JOHN W. ROYCE	Term expires 1955

Town Clerk

ELEANOR S. SMITH

Town Treasurer

ROGER HOLLAND

Collector of Taxes

WANDELL A. GOVE

Highway Agent

FRANK P. MOSHER

Water and Sewer Commissioners

EDWARD McCORMICK	Term expires 1953
HAROLD C. HOLLAND	Term expires 1954
TUCKER H. DAVID	Term expires 1955

Supervisors of Check List

RAY F. FLETCHER	WILLIAM WATSON
ROBERT CUNNINGHAM	

Representative

FRANK W. WALKER

Auditors

HAROLD C. HOLLAND	TUCKER H. DAVID
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Overseers of Charities

HOWARD I. STREETER
MABEL C. HILDRETH

Chief of Fire Department

DEXTER K. ROYCE

Municipal Court
HAROLD R. WEEKS, Justice

Health Officer
MABEL C. HILDRETH

Forest Fire Warden
DEXTER K. ROYCE

Deputy Wardens
PETER ZABOROTNY CLIFFORD D. STEARNS
LEON THOMAS JOSEPH DOUCETTE

Police
FRANK W. WALKER, Chief ROBERT A. BRANDL

Trustees of Trust Funds
PRENTISS TAYLOR Term expires 1953
RAY L. FLETCHER Term expires 1954
JASON W. HOLMAN Term expires 1955

Library Trustees
SUSAN HOLLAND Term expires 1953
MILDRED MERRITT Term expires 1954
HILDA HOLMAN Term expires 1955

Budget Committee
HAROLD C. HOLLAND CLARENCE O'NEAL
LEO GRATTON PERCY STEWART
PRENTISS W. TAYLOR

Surveyors of Wood and Lumber
GLENN HIGGINS

Fence Viewers
HERBERT NEWELL

Sexton
EARLE WILLIAMS

Constable and Deputy Sheriff
FRANK W. WALKER

Playground Committee

HARLEY SHELDON	Term expires 1953
ROBERT BRANDL	Term expires 1953
EDWARD DUBRISKI	Term expires 1954
BERNARD O'CONNOR	Term expires 1954
CHARLES PARDEE	Term expires 1955

Community Room Committee

MRS. CLARENCE O'NEAL	MRS. WILLIAM POWERS
MRS. THOMAS GOLDEN	

Memorial Day Committee

MICHAEL BOLDEN	CHESTER WATERMAN
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200th Anniversary Committee

RICHARD ROUILLARD	PRENTISS TAYLOR
SUSAN HOLLAND	
ROSETTA LOWE	FRANCIS MASON

Fire Station Construction Committee

CLARENCE B. O'NEAL	LEO GRATTON
DEXTER K. ROYCE	CLIFFORD D. STEARNS
GLEN HIGGINS	

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

TOWN WARRANT

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Hinsdale qualified to vote on Town affairs :

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall, on Tuesday, the 10th day of March, 1953, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following subjects :

Article 1. To elect all necessary town officers.

Article 1A. To see if the provisions of Chapter 171-A of the Revised Laws relative to playing games of beano shall be adopted in this town.

(Polls are open on Articles 1, 1A from 9:00 A. M. to 6:00 P.M.)

Article 2. To see if the town will vote to accept and adopt the report of the Selectmen, auditors and other town officers.

Article 3. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the payment of ordinary town charges, for the maintenance of the fire department, for highways, and for all other necessary expenses arising within the town.

Article 4. To see if the voters will authorize the Selectmen and Town Treasurer to borrow a sum or sums not exceeding in the aggregate \$50,000.00 in anticipation of the collection of taxes for the current municipal year, and to issue in the name and on the credit of the Town negotiable notes therefor, said notes to be repaid during the current municipal year from taxes collected within the current municipal year.

Article 5. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$348.83 to which the State will contribute \$2,565.53 to be expended on Class 5 roads.

Article 6. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to appoint four citizens to act as a Public Health Nursing Committee.

Article 7. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) for the observance of the town's bicentennial, or act in any manner thereon.

Article 8. To see what action the town wishes to take as to the disposition of the old fire station.

Article 9. To see if the town will accept as a gift from Mr. and Mrs. Walter Waterbury, a tract of land on which to erect a stone monument indicating the site of Fort Hinsdale, or act in any manner thereon.

Article 10. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate \$2,414.00 to pay for the truck purchased for the Highway Department.

Article 11. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$648.13 to pay the balance due on the Prospect Street Sewer, or act in any manner thereon.

Article 12. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum not to exceed \$4,000.00 to install a new heating boiler in the Town Hall, or to act in any manner thereon.

Article 13. To see if the Town will authorize the Water Commissioners to investigate the possibility of installing a gravel packed well in North Hinsdale for the purpose of supplementing the present water system and for supplying water to North Hinsdale residents, or act in any manner thereon.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$8,000 to extend the water line from Cottage Street, to the Plain Road, and from that point North as far as the residence of Henry Barrett, or act in any manner thereon.

Article 15. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate \$2,000.00 to gravel, widen and tar Prospect Street between the residence of Leo Bokum and Leo Gratton, or act in any manner thereon.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 to construct a better entrance to the main highway at the intersection of Plain Road and Brattleboro Road, or act in any manner thereon.

Article 17. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,100.00 to install an oil burner in Veterans Memorial Hall or act in any manner thereon.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to install and maintain a street light on Highland Avenue in the vicinity of the house owned by the Langille family, or act in any manner thereon.

Article 19. Transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seal in said Hinsdale this 12th day of February, 1953.

J. DAVID DUGGAN,
CLIFFORD D. STEARNS,
JOHN W. ROYCE,
Selectmen of Hinsdale.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

J. DAVID DUGGAN,
CLIFFORD D. STEARNS,
JOHN W. ROYCE,
Selectmen of Hinsdale.

ASSETS

1952 taxes estimated collectible	\$2,300 00
Cash on hand	47,326 56
	\$49,626 56

LIABILITIES

Due board of education (December 31, 1952)	\$32,893 50
Due on old sewer bonds	2,000 00
Due on water bonds	10,000 00
Due on Prospect Street sewer bonds	15,000 00
Due on fire station construction	60,000 00
Reserve—timber tax	380 37
State of N. H. head taxes	2,175 00
	\$122,448 87
Less assets	49,626 56
Net debt of town	\$72,822 31
School District notes	\$148,000 00

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF HINSDALE, N. H.

Estimates of Revenues and Expenditures for the Ensuing
Year January 1, 1953 to December 31, 1953

Compared with

Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Ex-
penditures of the Previous Year January 31, 1952 to
December 31, 1952

Purposes of Expenditures

Purposes	Appropriations Year 1952	Expenditures Year 1952	Budget Committee recommended appropriations 1953
Miscellaneous charges	\$800 00	\$855 31	\$800 00
Town officers' salaries	3,425 00	3,315 00	3,400 00
Town officers' expenses	850 00	1,114 25	850 00
Election and registration expenses	450 00	449 17	200 00
Municipal Court expenses	150 00	150 00	150 00
Expenses Town Hall	5,500 00	5,796 36	5,500 00
Police department	1,700 00	1,586 88	1,600 00
Fire department	4,500 00	4,564 27	4,500 00
Moth extermination—spray	100 00	100 00	100 00
Elliot Community Hospital	200 00	200 00	200 00
Health department	50 00	50 00	50 00
Vital statistics	60 00	61 50	60 00
Public Health Nurse	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,200 00
Garbage and rubbish removal	1,320 00	1,360 00	1,600 00
Town maintenance—Summer	8,800 00	9,397 58	7,000 00
Town maintenance—Winter	5,500 00	8,148 67	6,000 00
Street lighting	3,200 00	3,168 11	3,200 00
Tar	3,500 00	2,437 48	3,500 00
Libraries	3,000 00	2,900 30	3,000 00
Town poor	1,250 00	3,126 46	2,000 00
Old age assistance	2,300 00	2,822 08	2,500 00
Memorial Day and Vet's Assoc.	200 00	283 15	200 00

Purposes	Appropriations Year 1952	Expenditures Year 1952	Budget Committee recommended appropriations 1953
Aid to soldiers and their families	200 00	87 90	200 00
Playground	2,000 00	1,805 43	2,000 00
Cemeteries	1,600 00	1,630 04	1,600 00
Damages and legal expenses	100 00	396 20	100 00
Monadnock Region Association	50 00	50 00	50 00
Employees' retirement and social security	460 00	370 25	350 00
Interest on temporary loans	50 00	100 00	50 00
Interest on long term notes and bonds	587 00	558 00	1,627 50
Payments on indebtedness:			
(a) Bonds	7,500 00	7,500 00	7,000 00
(b) Long term notes	5,000 00	5,000 00	8,000 00
County taxes	9,531 90	9,531 90	9,500 00
	\$76,933 90	\$81,916 29	\$80,087 50

The above items should be considered under Article 3 of the Town Warrant.

TABLE III
TOWN OF HINSDALE
Comparative Statement of Indebtedness, Valuation and Taxes
Ten Year Period

Fiscal year ended:	Long term Notes & Bonds	Net debt	Valuation	Taxes Assessed	Uncollected Taxes	Av. local Tax rate Per \$100	Av. state Tax rate Per \$100
January 31, 1943	\$105,500 00	\$87,711 18	\$3,352,295 00	\$82,601 08	\$2,790 12	\$2 40	\$3 23
January 31, 1944	94,500 00	88,286 11	3,361,020 00	65,151 17	2,183 27	1 88	3 03
December 31, 1944	83,500 00	79,868 34	3,370,985 00	79,640 87	3,675 43	2 22	3 07
December 31, 1945	73,000 00	66,595 01	3,374,440 00	89,738 89	4,372 15	2 52	3 26
December 31, 1946	88,500 00	82,560 46	3,389,015 00	97,372 22	3,524 20	2 82	3 47
December 31, 1947	75,000 00	65,861 06	3,543,035 00	136,409 33	6,888 67	3 80	3 71
December 31, 1948	62,000 00	45,903 76	3,893,895 00	145,966 11	5,314 15	3 70	4 06
December 31, 1949	49,500 00	32,689 33	3,728,020 00	158,441 84	4,105 43	4 20	4 31
December 31, 1950	37,000 00	22,008 17	3,782,398 00	159,440 57	3,233 21	4 30	4 31
December 31, 1951	24,500 00	5,927 90	3,806,196 00	161,912 42	2,543 49	4 24	4 35
December 31, 1952	87,000 00	72,822 31	3,798,652 00	162,935 84	2,528 36	4 24	4 52

BONDED DEBT

Annual Maturities Water and Sewer Bonds

	Water Bonds at 2½%		Sewer Bonds at 4%	
Original Amount of Issue	\$114,000.00		\$55,000.00	
Principal Maturing	October 1st each year		May 1st each year	
Interest payable	April and October		May and November	
Payable at	Second National Bank of Boston		Town Treasurer's Office	
Yearly Maturities	Bonds	Interest	Bonds	Interest
1953	\$5,000 00	\$275 00	\$2,000 00	\$40 00
1954	\$5,000 00	\$137 50		

Fire Station Construction

Notes dated November 1, 1952, interest 1¼%.

Original amount of issue, \$60,000.00.

Payment on Principal due November 1st of each year.

Interest payable May 1st and November 1st of each year.

Payable at Vermont Peoples National Bank, Brattleboro, Vt.

Year	Maturities	Note	Interest	Year	Maturities	Note	Interest
1953		\$5,000 00	\$1,050 00	1959		\$5,000 00	\$525 00
1954		5,000 00	962 50	1960		5,000 00	437 50
1955		5,000 00	875 00	1961		5,000 00	350 00
1956		5,000 00	787 50	1962		5,000 00	262 50
1957		5,000 00	700 00	1963		5,000 00	175 00
1958		5,000 00	612 50	1964		5,000 00	87 50

Prospect Street Sewer

Notes dated December 1, 1952 at 1¼%.

Original amount of issue, \$15,000.00.

Payment on Principal due December 1st of each year.

Interest payable June 1st and December 1st of each year.

Payable at Winchester National Bank, Winchester, N. H.

Year	Maturities	Notes	Interest
1953		\$3,000 00	\$262 50
1954		3,000 00	210 00
1955		3,000 00	157 50
1956		3,000 00	105 00
1957		3,000 00	52 50

REPORT OF THE TOWN AUDITORS

The record books of the various Town Departments, as listed below, have been audited as of the close of business, December 31, 1952. We have verified, to the best of our ability, the totals reported, and believe that they are accurate representations of the financial status of these Departments.

In accordance with the requirements of the Tax Commission of the State of New Hampshire we have sent confirmations of unpaid property taxes to all parties listed on the books of the Tax Collector on Dec. 31, 1952. In addition some confirmations have been sent in connection with unpaid poll and head taxes. As of January 31, 1953 we have not received any advice that would indicate an irregularity in these lists. This procedure is recommended as a protection for the Collector as well as for persons whose names appear on his lists.

The various bonds, held in safe keeping, by the Trustees of Trust Funds, at the Keene National Bank, Keene, New Hampshire, were inspected. These bonds agree in full with the register maintained by the Trustees, both as to amounts, principal maturity date and numbers. The savings bank books were also checked and found to be in agreement with the lists of the Trustees.

May we take this opportunity to thank the Treasurers of the various departments for their interest and cooperation during the audits.

HAROLD C. HOLLAND,
TUCKER H. DAVID,
Town Auditors.

Books audited:

Town Treasurer	Trustees of Trust Funds
Selectmen	Library Committee
Road Agent	Town Clerk
Nursing Service	Tax Collector
Cemetery Lot Fund	Playground Committee
Fire Department	Water and Sewer Dept.

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash in hand, January 1st, 1952	\$55,511 11
Bingo permits	40 00
Bounty on hedgehogs	10 50
Cemetery account	2,126 45
Dog licenses	445 20
Filing fees	16 00
Loan, temporary, Winchester National Bank	40,000 00
Motor vehicle permits	6,810 18
Police Court, proportion of fines	407 00
Pool license	10 00
Notes Winchester National Bank, sewer extension	15,000 00
Notes Vermont-Peoples Nat'l Bank, fire house	60,000 00
Redeemed property, costs and interest	753 09
Refund, hydrant water tax	160 00
Refund, loss of taxes on public forest lands	44 52
Refund, part payment on mortgage	200 00
Refund, outside aid	32 64
Refund, sewer extension Liability Insurance Policy	357 31
Rent of town hall	93 00
Rent of playground field house	15 00
Reimbursement, 2% of tar purchase	51 88
Reimbursement, cemetery lot fund	1,014 43
Reimbursement, T.R.A.	679 20
Sale of cement	27 50
State treasurer, interest and dividend tax	3,026 46
State Treasurer, railroad tax	1,652 69
State Treasurer, Savings Bank tax	320 89
Tarring driveways	2,037 13
Town maintenance, summer	1,530 05
Town maintenance, winter	148 50
Taxes, Wandell A. Gove, collector, property	157,208 33
Taxes, Wandell A. Gove, polls	1,650 22
Taxes, Wandell A. Gove, interest	64 86
Taxes, Wandell A. Gove, head tax	5,231 00

Taxes, Wandell A. Gove, head tax penalties	79 00
Taxes, Wandell A. Gove, yield tax	697 10
Taxes, Wandell A. Gove, National Bank tax	83 00
Water & Sewer Dept., income from	587 50
Water & Sewer Dept., withholding tax and O.A.S.I.	239 10
Highway Dept., withholding tax and O.A.S.I.	1,159 83
	\$359,520 67
Less selectmen's orders	312,194 11
Cash on hand December 31st, 1952	\$47,326 56

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the accounts of the Town Treasurer and have found them to be correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

HAROLD C. HOLLAND,
TUCKER DAVID,

Auditors.

As of Dec. 31, 1952.

Cemetery Lot Fund

Cash on hand, December 31, 1951	\$1,463 88
Guy E. Howe	25 00
Mrs. Lillian Purkis	25 00
Elmer W. Fuller	25 00
Interest, July 1, 1952	14 63
Sidney W. Stearns	25 00
Warren Keniston	25 00
James A. Reed	15 00
Joel Wheeler	15 00
Interest, December 31, 1952	15 70
	\$1,649 21

DISBURSEMENTS

Town of Hinsdale, N. H.	1,014 43
Cash on hand December 31, 1952	\$634 78

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the accounts of the Cemetery Lot Fund and have found them to be correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

HAROLD C. HOLLAND,
TUCKER DAVID,

Auditors.

As of Dec. 31, 1952.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

The selectmen of the town submit the following report of the financial affairs of the town for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1952.

The valuation of the town as appraised April 1, 1952 was as follows:

Land and buildings	\$1,155,615 00
Electric plants	2,166,472 00
21 horses and asses	1,150 00
276 cows	30,650 00
28 neat	1,700 00
47 sheep and goats	470 00
5 hogs	200 00
795 fowls	795 00
20 chinchillas	1,150 00
3 portable mills	2,000 00
Wood and lumber	3,500 00
1 road machinery	1,200 00
Gasoline pumps	2,400 00
Stock in trade	211,150 00
Mills and machinery	318,700 00
Total	\$3,897,152 00
Soldiers' exemptions	98,500 00
Net	\$3,798,652 00
895 polls	1,790 00
National Bank stock	83 00

Tax rate	\$4 24
Poll	2 00
Total appropriation	\$179,363 89

Less estimated revenues and credits :

Interest and dividend tax	\$3,008 74
Railroad tax	1,460 70
Savings Bank tax	295 00
Reimbursement State lands	45 00
Reimbursement growing timber	269 66
Motor vehicle permit fees	6,000 00
Dog licenses	550 00
Business licenses and permits	100 00
Fines Municipal Court	150 00
Rent of town property	150 00
Interest on taxes and trust funds	75 00
Water department	600 00
Cash surplus	8,000 00

 20,704 10

 \$158,659 79

 Plus overlay

 4,276 05

 Net amount raised by taxation

 \$162,935 84

 Less poll taxes

 \$1,790 00

 National Bank stock

 83 00

 1,873 00

 Amount tax rate figured on

 \$161,062 84

 Plus poll taxes

 1,790 00

 National bank stock tax

 83 00

 Total taxes committed to collector

 \$162,935 84

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES **Town Officers' Salaries**

*Indicates Old Age and Survivors

Insurance Deductions:		*OASI
Clifford Stearns, selectman and clerk	\$738 75	\$11 25
John Royce, selectman	344 75	5 25
J. David Duggan, selectman	344 75	5 25
Roger Holland, treasurer and OASI clerk	492 50	7 50
Wandell Gove, tax collector	541 75	8 25
Harold Holland, auditor	25 00	
Tucker David, auditor	25 00	
Tucker David, water and sewer comm.	147 75	2 25
Harold Holland, water and sewer comm.	147 75	2 25
Edward McCormick, water and sewer comm.	147 75	2 25
Jason W. Holman, clerk of trust funds	147 75	2 25
Howard Streeter, overseer of old age	49 25	75
Mable Hildreth, overseer of charities	197 00	3 00
Board of Health Salary elsewhere in report.		
Eleanor Smith, town clerk	123 12	1 88
Plus OASI	52 13	
	3,525 00	
Less: Clerk OASI	\$150 00	
Board of Health	60 00	210 00
	\$3,315 00	
Appropriation		\$3,425 00
Balance	110 00	
Totals	\$3,425 00	\$3,425 00

Town Officers' Expenses

N. E. Tel. & Tel., telephone	\$332 50
Colton Insurance Agency, bonds	210 18
Chase's, supplies	132 01
Thomas Golden, postage and envelopes	114 00
Hinsdale Press, printing	109 30
Wandell Gove, postage, tax collector	94 53

Clifford Stearns, expenses	22 19	
John Royce, Typing town reports	20 00	
Peter Zavorotney, printing	19 25	
Temple Insurance Agency, bonds	10 00	
Tucker David, postage as auditor	7 74	
Sylvia Fletcher, typing trust funds	7 00	
Eleanor Smith, expenses	7 00	
Keene National Bank, safe deposit box	4 80	
A. E. Martell & Co., supplies	3 65	
Brown and Saltmarsh, supplies	3 67	
Catherine Sprague, supplies	3 20	
Gannon Office Supply Co.	3 05	
N. H. Tax Collectors Association, dues	3 00	
J. W. Holman, postage and supplies	2 98	
Association of N. H. Assessors, dues	2 00	
Bakers, Inc., supplies	1 50	
Esther Bennett, records	70	
Total	\$1,114 25	
Appropriation		\$850 00
Overdrawn		264 25
Totals	\$1,114 25	\$1,114 25

Election and Registration

*OASI

Clifford Stearns, selectman	\$15 00	
John Royce, selectman	15 00	
J. David Duggan, selectman	15 00	
Ray Fletcher, supervisor of check list	54 62	\$ 38
William Watson, supervisor	54 62	38
Robert Cunningham, supervisor	54 62	38
Jason Holman, moderator	30 00	
Eleanor Smith, town clerk	30 00	
Marshall Blouin, ballot clerk	5 00	
Agnes Golden, ballot clerk	5 00	
Catherine Hammond, ballot clerk	15 00	
Susan Holland, ballot clerk	15 00	
Henrietta Newman, ballot clerk	10 00	

Richard Newman, ballot clerk	10 00	
Helen Roy, ballot clerk	15 00	
Hinsdale Press, printing	24 00	
Peter Zavorotney, printing	4 50	
Maxwell Press, printing	1 17	
York Cafe, meals	74 50	
	\$448 03	
Plus OASI	1 14	
	\$449 17	
Appropriation		\$450 00
Balance	83	
Totals	\$450 00	\$450 00

Municipal Court

Harold R. Weeks, Judge	\$147 75	* \$2 25
Plus OASI	2 25	
Total	\$150 00	
Fines		\$407 00
Appropriation		150 00
Balance	407 00	
Totals	\$557 00	\$557 00

Town Hall

		*OASI & withholding
Robert Brandl, janitor	\$2,056 60	\$23 40
Colton Insurance, insurance	783 00	
Hinsdale Fuel Company, coal	685 38	
John Royce, coal	672 35	
Taylor Hardware, supplies and water heater	393 36	
George Jones, insurance	358 53	
Public Service Co. of N. H., electricity	258 22	
Temple Ins. Co., insurance	152 25	
C. L. Haskell, fire proofing scenery	125 00	
C. W. Harris, electrician	107 76	

Du-Ev Products, floor wax	68 92	
Acme Chemical Co., cleaner	54 12	
Alden Gregoire, tuning pianos	21 00	
Hinsdale Water Works	15 00	
Granite State M. M. Co., lawn mower	15 90	
R. L. Tyler, cleaning supplies	2 33	
Perley Gates, repairing clock	1 75	
Amarosa and Son, labor	1 49	
	\$5,772 96	
Plus OASI	23 40	
	\$5,796 36	
Appropriation		\$5,500 00
Overdrawn		296 36
Totals	\$5,796 36	\$5,796 36

Police

Frank Walker, chief	\$1,079 52	*\$12 48
Robert Brandl, police	284 76	* 3 24
Sydney Lorandean, traffic lines	93 50	
Dr. Lachaine, blood tests	25 00	
Harold Stephens, special police	14 00	
Ray Fletcher, special police	14 00	
Henry Grover, Jr., special police	14 00	
Thomas O'Connell, special police	6 00	
Chester Waterman, special police	8 00	
George Podmore, special police	5 00	
Leon Doyer, special police	5 00	
Arthur Scott, special police	5 00	
O'Connor Funeral Home (ambulance)	10 00	
N. H. Fire Safety, batteries	3 90	
Granite State Studio, pictures	3 48	
	\$1,571 16	
Plus OASI	15 72	
	\$1,586 88	

Appropriation		\$1,700 00
Balance	113 12	
Totals	\$1,700 00	\$1,700 00

Fire Department

		OASI
Department payroll	\$1,531 55	\$23 20
James Shea, hose, etc.	749 05	
N. H. Fire and Safety Equip., hose, coats	509 00	
Charles Blossom, janitor	422 34	3 66
Royces Garage, repairs to truck	307 47	
Hinsdale Fuel, coal	266 46	
John Royce, coal	156 24	
Hartford Accident & Ind. Co., insurance	131 25	
N. H. Public Service, electricity	74 37	
Spencer Brothers, repairs	99 70	
Colton Insurance, insurance	101 59	
Vernal Varno, roof repairs	31 75	
Seagrave Corp, supplies	23 40	
American LaFrance Foamite Corp., supplies	22 72	
Temple Insurance, insurance	58 04	
Taylor Hardware, supplies	10 70	
G. S. Merriam Co., supplies	7 80	
Hinsdale Water Works, water	7 20	
E. D. Bullard, supplies	2 62	
Mine Safety App. Co., supplies	2 55	
Green Mt. Awning, supplies	51 91	
Total	\$4,537 41	
Plus OASI	26 86	
	\$4,564 27	

Appropriation		\$4,500 00
Overdrawn		64 27
Totals	\$4,564 27	\$4,564 27

Playgrounds

Public Service Co. of N. H., electricity	\$30 77
Hinsdale Water Works, water	61 86

Granite State M. M. Co.	98 34	
Joseph Doucette, caretaker	425 52	* \$6 48
Colton Insurance, insurance	169 55	
Holden & Martin, supplies	64 53	
Bouchie Service Station, gas and oil	14 14	
Paul Bousquet, painting	30 00	
Francis Kerylow, painting	30 00	
Andrew Farnham, carpenter	13 20	
Charles Harris, electrician	127 86	
Charles Blossom, Jr., labor	18 00	
Spencer Brothers, supplies	13 15	
Royces, supplies	9 61	
H. W. Taylor, hardware and plumbing	116 54	
Temple Insurance, insurance	17 50	
Joan Sheldon, assistant supervisor	135 00	
Stanley Peters, supervisor	423 38	

\$1,798 95

Plus OASI

6 48

\$1,805 43

Appropriation

\$2,000 00

Balance

194 57

Totals

\$2,000 00 \$2,000 00

Cemeteries

Earle L. Williams, sexton	\$2,280 00
Floyd Sprague, labor	756 50
Floyd Sprague, truck	40 00
William Kilhart, labor	90 00
Calvin Lowe, labor	4 00
Ernest Kilhart, labor	12 00
John Duggan, mowing machine	6 00
Orson Smith, perpetual care at Oak Grove	61 50
J. A. Orr Co., electric trimmer and supplies	62 85
Harry E. Wilson, sharpening mowers	
and supplies	42 45
Granite State Mowing Machine Co., pipe	
and sharpening mowers	18 93

Royce's Garage, supplies	52 10	
H. W. Taylor Hardware Co., fertilizer and supplies	118 95	
Robert E. Dunklee, sharpening mowers and supplies	18 86	
Power Lawn Mower Service Co., supplies	23 62	
Hinsdale Water Works	4 20	
Terrace Gardens	121 25	
	\$3,713 21	
Appropriation		\$1,600 00
Credit—Cemetery Trust Fund		1,061 70
Care of lots, opening graves, refilling graves, foundations for cemetery memorials		1,064 75
Balance	13 24	
	\$3,726 45	\$3,726 45

Submitted by Earle Williams, sexton.

ROADS Winter Maintenance

Sidney P. Smith & Frank P. Mosher, orders	\$8,297 17	
Appropriation		\$5,500 00
Credits*		148 50
Overdrawn		2,648 67
Totals	\$8,297 17	\$8,297 17

*Credits

John R. Norton	\$26 00
William Young	22 00
Orlando Owen	16 50
John Duggan	26 00
William S. Howe	3 00
Lincoln Kleinberger	22 00
Rosetta Lowe	5 00
Eva Klowan	8 00
State of N. H.	20 00

Total	\$148 50*
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Summer Maintenance

Frank P. Mosher, orders	\$10,927 63	
Appropriation		\$8,800 00
Credits*		1,530 05
Overdrawn		597 58
Totals	\$10,927 63	\$10,927 63

***Credits**

State of N. H.	\$307 10
Russell O'Neal	62 25
John Bererk	31 40
John Duggan	50 00
Earl Clark	10 00
Steve Bouchie	6 00
Fred Nees	158 60
Ellen Stephens	45 00
Charles Jacquith	25 00
Marcelus Major	30 00
F. A. Durnford	100 00
Robert T. Butler	28 00
Katherine Hammond	9 00
Fred Kendrick, Jr.	25 00
Glen Higgins	35 00
School Department	201 90
Petroleum Eqpt. Co.	8 00
T. H. Bergeron	14 00
Granite State M. M.	42 00
Harold Garfield	50 00
Streeters Mch. Shop	169 00
Harold R. Weeks	20 00
Charles Trask	61 80
Charles Copeland	6 00
John Royce	15 00
Peter Bokum	20 00

Total **\$1,530 05***

Tar

Frank P. Mosher, orders	\$4,474 61	
Appropriation		\$3,500 00
Credits		* 2,037 13
Balance	1,062 52	
Totals	\$5,537 13	\$5,537 13

***Credits**

Earl L. Williams	\$62 75
John R. Norton	21 90
Hanna Pike	17 00
Rosploch Ser. Sta.	105 00
Harold S. Garfield	267 84
Elizabeth Fisher	35 00
Raymond Hildreth	51 25
Margaret O'Connor	50 00
John Duggan	68 12
John R. Norton	100 00
Wm. E. Watson	10 00
Edward Kondrat	25 00
Mrs. Truman Mead	24 00
Sidney L. Butler	15 00
Hortense Williams	10 00
Wm. S. Kimball	15 00
Russell O'Neal	60 00
Arthur C. Roberts, Jr.	18 00
Agnes Golden	20 00
Harold Stephens	22 00
Henry W. Taylor	25 00
Edward Plantier	45 00
F. A. Durnford	100 00
Francis Stetson	35 00
Orlando Owen	20 00
D. P. Welch	25 00
Dorothy Leary	16 00
George Stephens	22 00
School dept.	200 00
Ralph Wood	5 00

Harold S. Garfield	20 00
Russell M. Garfield	100 00
John R. Norton	24 00
Daniel W. Hickey	143 77
Reginald G. Gove	20 00
Arthur Provost	15 00
D. H. Blanchette	5 00
John Beruk	132 80
Edward Kondrat	10 70
Grammar School	55 50
Louis Cherwa	19 50
Total	\$2,037 13

Cemetery Road

Frank Mosher, payroll and tar	\$508 25	
Appropriation		\$500 00
Overdrawn		8 25
Totals	\$508 25	\$508 25

Ox-Bow Road

Frank Mosher, orders	\$2,439 44	
Appropriation balance from 1951		\$2,554 00
Balance	114 56	
Totals	\$2,554 00	\$2,554 00

Town Road Aid

Frank P. Mosher, orders	\$1,055 69	
Appropriation		\$376 49
Reimbursement from State of N. H.		679 20
Totals	\$1,055 69	\$1,055 69

New Fire Station (Preliminary)

George Philbrook, plans	\$92 40
James Britton, plans	241 68
Roy M. Pickard, attorney	10 00
Brattleboro Reformer, advertising bids	6 90

F. W. Dodge Corp., advertising bids	22	00	
Greenfield Recorder, advertising bids	5	50	
Sentinel Printing, advertising	16	25	
Carroll Straw, pictures	12	00	
Clifford Stearns, meals for committee	14	30	
	\$421	03	
Appropriation			\$500 00
Balance	78	97	
Totals	\$500	00	\$500 00

New Fire Station Construction

Original contract sum		\$55,050	58
Authorization to borrow not to exceed		65,000	00
T. H. & E. J. Bergeron, contractors	\$40,133	02	
James A. Britton, architect	2,952	34	
Temple Insurance Agency	63	80	
Colton Insurance	63	80	
George Jones, insurance	53	90	
Total paid out to January 1, 1953	\$43,266	86	
Amount borrowed to date		\$60,000	00
Cash on hand	16,733	14	
Totals	\$60,000	00	\$60,000 00

Memorial Day

J. W. Field, flags (two years)	\$115	10	
Terrace Gardens, flowers	107	20	
Bowman Flying Service, dropping wreaths	28	75	
Hinsdale Press, printing	8	00	
R. S. Tyler, supplies	6	80	
Coca-Cola, supplies	6	80	
George Podmore, transportation	5	00	
Robert Brandl, transportation	5	00	
Nathan Taft, Ice		50	
Appropriation			\$200 00
Overdrawn			83 15
Totals	\$283	15	\$283 15

Damage and Legal Expenses

Roy Pickard, lawyer	\$363 20	
Ray Hildreth, investigation poultry	25 00	
Napoleon Hamel, damage by dogs	8 00	
Appropriation		\$100 00
Overdrawn		296 20
Totals	\$396 20	\$396 20

Health Department

Mable C. Hildreth	\$49 25	* \$ 75
Plus OASI	75	
	\$50 00	
Appropriation		\$60 00
Balance	10 00	
Totals	\$60 00	\$60 00

Public Health Nurse

Iva Nelson, treasurer	\$892 24		
Grais Churchill, salary	1,584 36	*\$28 44	*\$277 20
Helen Doyer, substitute nurse	170 59	*3 27	*43 90
Plus OASI and withholding	*352 81		
Appropriation			3,000 00
Totals	\$3,000 00		\$3,000 00

Vital Statistics

Eleanor S. Smith, recording	\$61 50	
Appropriation		\$60 00
Overdrawn		1 50
Totals	\$61 50	\$61 50

Town Poor

Case No. 1	\$1,094 75
" " 2	670 90
" " 3	627 04
" " 4	235 00
" " 5	179 35
" " 6	159 00

" "	7	125 00	
" "	8	114 27	
" "	9	78 00	
" "	10	18 00	
" "	11	17 15	
" "	12	8 00	
" "	13 Refund on previous case		\$200 00
Appropriation			1,250 00
Overdrawn			1,876 46
Totals		\$3,326 46	\$3,326 46
Street Lighting			
Public Service Co. of N. H.		\$3,168 11	
Appropriation			\$3,200 00
Balance		31 89	
Totals		\$3,200 00	\$3,200 00
Soldiers Aid			
Case No. 1		\$87 90	
Appropriation			\$200 00
Balance		112 10	
Totals		\$200 00	\$200 00
Garbage and Rubbish Collections			
Floyd Sprague, rubbish		\$585 00	
Dominic Mannerino, garbage		580 00	
Dorr Hudson, garbage and rubbish		195 00	
Appropriation			\$1,320 00
Overdrawn			40 00
Totals		\$1,360 00	\$1,360 00
Libraries			
Mildred Merritt, treasurer		\$1,400 00	
Luella Streeter, librarian		1,278 90	*\$22 50
Plus OASI and withholding		*221 40	*\$198 90
		\$2,900 30	

Appropriation		\$3,000 00
Balance	99 70	
Totals	<u>\$3,000 00</u>	\$3,000 00

Monadnock Region

Karl G. Upton, treasurer	\$50 00	
Appropriation		\$50 00

Elliot Community Hospital

Contribution to support	\$200 00	
Appropriation		\$200 00

Taxes Bought by Town

Wandell A. Gove, tax collector	\$650 44	
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Interest

Vermont-Peoples National Bank		
Brattleboro road, water and sewer	\$55 50	
Second National Bank of Boston		
Water bonds interest	412 50	
Winchester National Bank		
Sewer bond interest	90 00	
Temporary loan interest	100 00	
	<u>\$658 00</u>	
Appropriation		\$637 00
Overdrawn		21 00
Totals	<u>\$658 00</u>	\$658 00

Temporary Loans

Winchester National Bank	\$40,000 00	
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Paid on Indebtedness

Winchester National Bank		
Sewer bond	\$2,500 00	
Second National Bank of Boston		
Water bonds	5,000 00	
Vermont-Peoples National Bank		
Brattleboro road, water and sewer		
Highland Ave., water notes	5,000 00	
	<u>\$12,500 00</u>	

Appropriation		\$12,500 00
Totals	\$12,500 00	\$12,500 00

Motor Vehicle Permits

Eleanor S. Smith, permits		\$6,810 18
paid for issueing 960 @ 50c	\$480 00	
Refunded to White Washburn Co.		
(error)	22 85	
Balance	6,307 23	
Totals	\$6,810 18	\$6,810 18

Painting Depot Street Bridge

N. H. State Highway Dept.	\$1,645 66	
Appropriation		\$2,500 00
Balance	854 34	
Totals	\$2,500 00	\$2,500 00

200th Anniversary Celebration

Peter Zavorotney, printing	\$19 60	
Appropriation		\$200 00
Balance	180 40	
Totals	\$200 00	\$200 00

Spraying Shade Trees

Chase's Tree Service, spraying	\$100 00	
Appropriation		\$100 00

Tax Refunds

M. J. Madigan, overtax, refund	\$101 00	
White Washburn, motor refund	22 85	
Harold Weeks, tax refund	8 48	
Total	\$132 33	

Old Age Assistance

Town share, $\frac{1}{4}$ of total	\$2,822 08	
Appropriation		\$2,300 00
Overdrawn		522 08
Totals	\$2,822 08	\$2,822 08

County Tax

S. M. Boardman, county treasurer	\$9,531 90	
Appropriation		\$9,531 90

Schools

J. W. Fields, treasurer	\$104,732 50	
Balance due Board of Education	32,893 50	
Appropriation 1952 schools		\$98,243 50
Balance 1951 appropriation		39,382 50
	\$137,626 00	\$137,626 00

Highway Truck

Royce's Garage, (1952 Chevrolet truck) complete	\$2,414 00	
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Social Security

Paid to Internal Revenue	\$1,769 18	
Amount withheld	1,398 93	
Net cost to the town	\$370 25	
Appropriation		\$460 00
Balance	89 75	
	\$460 00	\$460 00

MISCELLANEOUS

Temple Insurance, fleet insurance	\$78 63	
Sentinel Printing Co., town reports	479 70	
Sentinel Printing Co., tax invoices	210 00	
Winfield Chaplin, reports	25 80	
Insurance, nurses automobile	37 20	
B. & M. Railroad, rent of dump	1 48	
Catherine Sprague, preparing tax booklet for printers	22 50	
Totals	\$855 31	
Appropriation		\$800 00
Overdrawn		55 31
	\$855 31	\$855 31

REPORT OF THE HINSDALE PLAYGROUND COMMITTEE

The Playground and buildings were put in first class condition early in the spring for the coming year. Necessary repairs and painting were done.

Mr. Joseph Doucette was rehired as caretaker for the year, but had to have assistance in mowing the grounds.

Early in the season a shuffle board club was formed. The committee agreed to build a shelter on the end of the garage for their equipment and also to furnish lights for the courts. These courts were used frequently during the year by various parties.

Mr. Stanley Peters was hired as supervisor for the summer season and Miss Joan Sheldon was engaged as his assistant. This summer, sports and games were stressed more than arts and crafts.

Before the season was well under way a meeting of the committee was held and the following officers elected. Mr. Edmond Bosquet, Chairman and Mr. Charles N. Pardee, Secretary-Treasurer. Shortly after this meeting Mr. Edmond Bosquet and Mr. Theodore Sikoski resigned from the committee. The selectmen of the town appointed Mr. Harley Sheldon to replace Mr. Bosquet and Mr. Edward Dubriske to replace Mr. Sikoski. The committee at this time wishes to thank Mr. Bosquet and Mr. Sikoski for the time and effort they have put in while serving on this committee.

A meeting of the new committee was held and Mr. Robert Brandl was elected chairman and Mr. Pardee re-elected secretary-treasurer.

Several pieces of small equipment were purchased during the year and also necessary repairs on our regular equipment, which is in constant use all year round with the grammar school.

During the year the Field House was used by various people and organizations. All equipment and the pool were greatly

used outside of the supervised periods. Many parties and picnics were held.

The newly formed Little League made use of the small diamond and are looking forward to another season. We urge all the townspeople to get behind and help this worthwhile project. The committee would also like to see the big diamond used by a Town Team.

The grounds were also used by the High School for all its home games and practice.

The usual Nite-Before Celebration was held with favorable weather. A very large crowd attended this year's Midway and Fireworks. Each year this event is growing larger. The net proceeds for the night were \$633.85. This money is used for new equipment on the field. The Committee wishes to thank everyone who helped make this such a successful affair. Those who worked on the various booths and those who in any way materially assisted.

We are showing for the first time an accounting of the special playground account. This is money received from the proceeds of the 4th of July celebrations. This money is used for new equipment. Each year some new pieces of equipment are added to our constantly growing playground. This year a new popcorn machine will need to be purchased and other equipment the committee feels necessary to keep our playground growing. This coming year we feel it is necessary to purchase more park benches and one or two playground devices. We estimate these costs at approximately \$700.00. The Committee feels it is necessary to carry a balance of \$500.00 in this account to still be able to purchase equipment in event of a poor year.

Arrangements have been made to install toilets in the bathhouse for the 1953 season.

The section in the south-east corner of the playground is slowly being cleared off so that in the near future a picnic area will be established.

We wish to thank the other town officers for their co-operation and also all other people for their timely advice and suggestions.

To the many people who have used the grounds we are grateful. We feel that the more the field is used the better it is for everyone. The town should be proud of such a fine field and the many comments of visitors really make this a worthwhile endeavor. We are looking forward to the 200th Anniversary most of which will be held at the Playground and we feel that many more visitors will be further impressed by what the Town of Hinsdale has done and is doing for the young people.

The committee would appreciate more suggestions from the townspeople as to equipment they would like to see and use on the Playground.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT A. BRANDL,
Chairman.

CHARLES N. PARDEE,
Sec.-Treas.

HARLEY F. SHELDON,
EDWARD J. DUBRISKE,
BERNARD E. O'CONNOR.

STATEMENT OF SPECIAL PLAYGROUND ACCOUNT IN THE WINCHESTER NATIONAL BANK

Income

Bank balance as of 10/23/51	\$606 04
Cash on hand and deposited	137 26
Proceeds from 4th Celebration 1952	1,690 71
Received from selectmen and deposited	63 75
	\$2,497 76

Expenses

Mrs. Lowe (balance of salary)	\$50 00
4th celebration expenses	1,056 86
Sports equipment for year	77 86
Field house expense for year:	
Soda	22 40
Ice	14 40

Summer party	7 42	
Mowing field	28 06	
Total paid out		1,257 00
Balance on hand 1/1/53		\$1,240 76
Received for rent of field house :		
Mill Union	\$7 50	
American Legion	7 50	
Bolden reception	7 50	
	\$22 50	
Paid to the town treasurer		\$22 50
Balance as per bank statement	\$1,276 92	
Outstanding checks	36 16	
	\$1,240 76	

We the Playground Committee certify that there is a balance on hand in the checking account of the playground, the sum of \$1,240.76.

ROBERT A. BRANDL,
CHARLES N. PARDEE,
HARLEY F. SHELDON,
EDWARD J. DUBRISKE,
BERNARD E. O'CONNOR,
Playground Committee.

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the accounts of the Playground Committee and have found them to be correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

HAROLD C. HOLLAND,
TUCKER DAVID,

Auditors.

As of Dec. 31, 1952.

In Memoriam

With sincere sorrow, the Board of Water Commissioners, record the passing of Robert A. Weeks. As one of the original Water Commissioners, his interest and activity in the operation of the Water Department, as well as his participation in all Town affairs, notably the Fire and School Departments, will long be remembered.

REPORT OF THE WATER AND SEWER COMMISSIONERS

During the past year two major improvements have been made, which we feel, will assist in providing better operations and decrease future maintenance charges. First the Gunite Company of New Hampshire was hired to make extensive repairs to the inner and outer walls of the cement storage tanks that are part of the Plant. This work, costing \$1,298.00, consisted of resealing several cracks that had started to enlarge and inasmuch as the entire surfaces were covered added protection against such cracking for some time in the future. The second improvement was the installation, by the Bristol Co., of two sets of gauges and meters. One gauge, located at the Filter plant gives continual indication of the height of water in the standpipe. This is a contrast to the previous gauge which merely showed pressure from which the amount of water had to be computed. The other gauge, located in the Water Dept. office is a continual chart of the height of water in the standpipe, on a 24 hour basis. The latter therefore provides the Superintendent and the Commissioners with available charts for determining the proper times for operation of the filters.

We have recently completed a study of the amounts of water supplied to our users and, in answer to some questions, present the following figures to show why the amount of water used cannot, under our present charge system, be related to the rents received.

	1951	1952
June	4,867,800 gals. filtered	5,740,400 gals. filtered
July	5,347,400 gals. filtered	7,683,200 gals. filtered
December	5,135,300 gals. filtered	5,654,700 gals. filtered

A quick study of these figures will easily explain why it was necessary for us to operate the plant for 16 hours a day for almost three weeks during last July. It finally became necessary for us to publish a notice asking for your co-operation in the use of excessive amounts of water and we are pleased to report that within a week after the notice was published the operation hours were reduced to a more normal time of 10 hours.

In conformance with our agreement of last year, we have not received any payment from the Town on Hydrant rentals and have also paid the interest due on outstanding Water Bonds amounting to \$587.50.

HAROLD C. HOLLAND,
EDWARD J. McCORMICK,
TUCKER H. DAVID,
Water Commissioners.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF THE WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT

Once again, the activities of the beavers at Kilburn Pond and in the waters between the dam and the Filter Plant take first place in my report. However, this year the State Dept. of Health and the Fish and Game Dept. have been of considerable assistance. They have done quite a bit of trapping and the condition is not as bad as it has been in previous years. Nevertheless, it has been necessary for us to blow out some dams but we have not had the bother of previous years.

The installation of the new gauge and meter have been a big help in determining the best hours to operate the plant and I agree with the Commissioners that they are an asset to our operations.

The new Prospect St. sewer line has eliminated the trouble we have had at the old septic tank and I feel that we will notice the difference during next summer and future summers.

Our new method of sending out water and sewer bills is working out very well. The time required is much less than under the old system and in addition we have altered our recording system so that it simplifies our bookkeeping.

I wish to take this opportunity to express my thanks to the Fire and Police Departments for their cooperation during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES W. HARRIS,

Superintendent.

SEWER DEPARTMENT

Cash balance, Jan. 1, 1952	\$627 79	
Income, sewer rents, 1952	667 83	
		\$1,295 62
Expenses, 1952	\$653 93	
Cash balance, Dec. 31, 1952	641 69	
		\$1,295 62
Unpaid sewer rents—as of Dec. 31, 1952		\$11 38

Detail of expense:

Metcalf & Eddy, for preliminary Prospect St. survey	165 42
Edwin Culver, for final survey of Prospect St. line	334 85
Labor, Chas. Stancliff	80 77
Labor, Floyd Sprague	72 89
Total expenses	\$653 93

WATER DEPARTMENT

Cash balance, Jan. 1, 1952	\$3,363 04	
Income, water rents, 1952	9,314 35	
		\$12,677 39
Expense, 1952	\$11,075 78	
Cash balance, Dec. 31, 1952	1,601 61	
		\$12,677 39
Unpaid water rents, as of Dec. 31, 1952		\$231 91

Water Department—Expense 1952

Supply :

Labor, Floyd Sprague	\$28 00	
Labor, Cecil Wilson	3 50	
Bristol Company, (new gauge and meter)	742 36	
Supplies	308 33	
		\$1,082 19

Purification :

Chemicals	\$624 25
Misc. supplies	296 21
Fuel	442 46
Electricity	192 73
Gunit Co., (repair to storage tank walls)	1,298 00

Labor :

C. Stancliff	2,289 92
R. Merrill	7 00

5,150 57

Distribution :

Repairs	\$35 62
Construction of shelter at the standpipe	74 30
Labor	9 00

118 92

Membership:

New England Water Works Assoc.	6 00
New Hampshire Water Association	5 00
Repayment to Town on 1952 overpayment	160 00
Hydrant maintenance	45 26
Telephone	246 38
Office supplies	68 09
Insurance, Filter Plant	80 00
Postage and freight	165 82
Taxes—Town of Winchester	117 80
Misc., job work	18 25

Bond interest:

2¾% water bonds	\$412 50	
4% water bonds	140 00	
Brattleboro Rd. water and sewer bonds	45 00	
		587 50

Superintendent:

Salary	\$2,912 00	
Truck	312 00	
		3,224 00

Total expense	\$11,075 78
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Prospect Street Sewer Extension

Edwin C. Culver, engineer	\$1,248 40	
Edwin C. Culver, for utility gas	9 00	
Municipal Services, supplies	543 05	
Colton Insurance, insurance liability	773 29	
Burton Holmes, pipe fitter	700 00	
Robert Butler, mason	316 65	*\$60 10
Orville Wyman, power shovel	1,672 89	
Charles Harris, supervision	77 00	
Frank Mosher, road agent, payroll	4,472 25	
Higgins, gravel	123 50	
Butler, gravel	98 50	
C. Butler, gravel	30 00	

Potter Grain, tiles and cement	497 80	
Etheridge Foundry Co., materials	1,192 00	
H. W. Taylor Co., tile	2,443 35	
Sidney Butler, mason	161 94	*5 81
Arthur Whitecomb, supplies	1,186 43	
Holden & Martin, tile	63 40	
Dorr Hudson, trucking	27 00	
Keene Sand and Gravel	121 44	
Granite State Machine, repairs	97 95	
Modern Auto Wrecking, repairs	20 00	
Royce Garage, gas	9 74	
Wirthmore Feed, tile	29 57	
Winfield Chaplin, recording releases	5 82	
A. H. Wilson's Garage, tile	30 00	
Prescott & Sons, jute	16 06	

Total	\$15,967 03
Plus *OASI	65 91

Total	\$16,032 94
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Credits:

Cement	\$27 50
Ins. refund	357 31

384 81

Total cost	\$15,648 13
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Sewer Extension

In accordance with the vote of the special Town Meeting held last June, work on this project was started early in August. Rather than contract for the entire job, it was decided to utilize as many Town facilities as possible. Consequently the Highway Department agreed to do the majority of the work. It was, however, necessary to obtain some outside labor and equipment for certain special work, but we feel that the results justified the use of Town personnel and equipment. Although the amount estimated was \$22,000.00 the actual cost of the pro-

ject, after allowance is made for a return of credits, is \$15,-648.13.

Included in the above total cost is an amount approximating \$400.00 which covers the grading and gravelling of the street after the sewer was put in.

Thus far the operation of the sewer has proven to be satisfactory and it has eliminated the bad situation at the now discarded septic tank and its overflow at the playground. There is no doubt that when the warm weather comes, the previous bad condition will be found to have been entirely eliminated.

EDWARD McCORMICK,
HAROLD C. HOLLAND,
TUCKER H. DAVID,
Water and Sewer Commissioners.

HINSDALE FIRE DEPARTMENT

The Board of Engineers submit the following report.

6 general alarms.

10 still alarms.

Mar.	14	Philip Burnett, no damage.
Apr.	23	Hinsdale paper, \$10,000 damage, equipment.
May	5	Schlatner's House, slight damage.
July	12	Edward Durbriski, garage, total loss.
Aug.	25	Granite State, slight damage.
Sept.	25	Stand by for Winchester.

Respectfully submitted,

DEXTER ROYCE, Chief

FRANK WALKER, 1st Ass't. Engineer

PETER ZAVOROTNY, 2nd Ass't. Engineer

MARK CHAMBERLAIN, 3rd Ass't Engineer

JOHN W. ROYCE, 4th Ass't Engineer

PAY ROLL FOR 1952 **HINSDALE FIRE DEPARTMENT**

	Salary	Ex. Time	Total	Soc. Sec'y	Net
Dexter Royce	\$150 00	\$100 00	\$250 00	\$3 75	\$246 25
Frank Walker	40 00	15 00	55 00	83	54 17
Peter Zavorotny	40 00	22 50	62 50	94	61 56
Mark Chamberlain	40 00	18 00	58 00	87	57 13
John Royce	40 00	40 50	80 50	1 21	79 29
Kenneth Brooks	24 00	23 75	47 75	72	47 03
Walter Baronoski	16 00	7 50	23 50	35	23 15
Ray Fletcher	24 00	20 00	44 00	66	43 34
Thomas O'Connell	20 00	21 25	41 25	62	40 63
Verne Vasno	16 00	5 00	21 00	32	20 68
Steve Kolodziej	16 00	2 50	18 50	28	18 22
Homer Worden	22 00	12 50	34 50	52	33 98
Richard Merrill	20 00	11 25	31 25	47	30 78
Raymond Bolden	20 00	13 75	33 75	51	33 24
Clayton Gamash	2 00		2 00	03	1 97
Leonard Waters	20 00	32 50	52 50	79	51 71
Chester Waterman	22 00	22 50	44 50	67	43 83
Arthur Roberts, Jr.	22 00	37 50	59 50	89	58 61
Edmund Bousquet	24 00	16 25	40 25	60	39 65
Francis O'Connor	4 00	8 75	12 75	19	12 56
Clarence Horne, Jr.	20 00	35 00	55 00	83	54 17
Robert Brandl	20 00	25 00	45 00	68	44 32
Raymond Walker	12 00	8 75	20 75	31	20 44
Donald Fowler	10 00	10 00	20 00	30	19 70
Marcellus Howe	18 00	16 25	34 25	51	33 74
Arthur Bouchie, Jr.	2 00	22 50	24 50	37	24 13
Charles Blossom	24 00	112 50	136 50	2 05	134 45
George Podmore	18 00	47 50	65 50	98	64 52
Sidney Smith	10 00	16 25	26 25	39	25 86
Robert Marshall	22 00	30 00	52 00	78	51 22
Harold Stephens	20 00	12 50	32 50	49	32 01
Siren operator	10 00		10 00		10 00
Peter Zavorotny, treas.	12 00	7 50	19 50	29	19 21
Totals	\$780 00	\$774 75	\$1,554 75	\$23 20	\$1,531 55

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Summary of Warrant Property, Poll and Yield Taxes Levy of 1952

—DR—

Taxes committed to collector:

Property taxes	\$161,062 84
Poll taxes	1,790 00
National Bank Stock taxes	83 00
Total warrant	\$162,935 84
Timber yield taxes	881 10

Added taxes:

Property taxes	173 84
Poll taxes	60 00
Interest collected	7 45
Total debits	\$164,058 23

—CR—

Remittances to treasurer:

Property taxes	\$154,569 61
Poll taxes	1,518 00
National Bank stock taxes	83 00
Timber yield taxes	674 10
Interest collected	6 73
Discount allowed	4,370 11

Abated:

Polls	102 00
Property	169 60

Uncollected taxes as collector's list Jan. 1, 1953:

Property taxes	2,127 36
Poll taxes	194 00
Yield taxes	207 00

Cash on hand ending December 31, 1952:

For poll taxes	36 00
Interest	72
Over to treasurer for property tax	\$164,058 23
For credit in 1953	9 95
Total credits	\$164,068 18
Audited Jan. 24, 1953	

HAROLD C. HOLLAND,
T. H. DAVID,
Auditors.

**Summary of Warrant
Property, Poll and Yield Taxes
Levy of 1951
—DR—**

Taxes committed to collector:

Property taxes	\$2,516 13
Poll taxes	88 00
Total warrant	\$2,604 13
Timber yield taxes	23 00
Added taxes:	
Poll taxes	32 00
Interest collected	56 99
Total debits	\$2,716 12

—CR—

Remittances to treasurer:

Property taxes	\$2,516 13
Poll taxes	112 00
Timber yield taxes	23 00
Interest collected	56 99
Abated, 4 poll taxes	8 00
Total credits	\$2,716 12

Audited, Jan. 24, 1953.

HAROLD C. HOLLAND,
T. H. DAVID,

Auditors.

**Summary of Warrant
Property, Poll and Yield Taxes
Levy of 1950**

—DR—

Taxes committed to collector:

Property taxes

Poll taxes \$18 00

Total warrant \$18 00

Interest collected 1 14

Total debits \$19 14

—CR—

Remittances to treasurer:

Poll taxes \$18 00

Interest collected 1 14

Total credits \$19 14

Audited Jan. 24, 1953.

HAROLD C. HOLLAND,
T. H. DAVID,

Auditors.

Summary of Tax Sale on Account of Levies of:

	1952	1951	1950	1949
Taxes sold to town				
during current				
fiscal year	\$582 21			
Balance of unre-				
deemed taxes,				
Jan. 1, 1952		\$541 63	\$187 71	\$47 25

Interest collected after tax sale	11	12 75	20 03	3 52
Redemption costs			11 49	

Total debits	\$582 62	\$554 38	\$219 23	\$50 77
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—CR—

Remittances to treasurer 1952	\$120 54	\$384 67	\$219 23	\$24 69
Abatement during year				
Deeded to town during year				
Unredeemed taxes at close of year 1952	462 08	169 71		26 08

Total credits	\$582 62	\$554 38	\$219 23	\$50 77
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Unredeemed Taxes From Tax Sales

On Account of Levies of:

	1952	1951	1950	1949
Robert LaChance	\$432 40	\$138 35		
Winifred Reddin				\$26 08
Estate of Mrs. Chas. Ariel	29 68	31 36		

Total secured by tax sale and reg- istered at regr. of deeds at Keene, N. H.	\$462 08	\$169 71		\$26 08
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Respectfully submitted,
 WANDELL A. GOVE,
 Tax Collector.

Audited Jan. 24, 1953.

HAROLD C. HOLLAND,
 T. H. DAVID,
 Auditors.

Summary of Warrant**State Head Tax****Levy of 1952**

—DR—

State head taxes committed to collector in original warrant	\$5,585 00
Added taxes	180 00
Total commitment	\$5,765 00
Penalties collected since Dec. 1 to Dec. 31	42 00
Total debits	\$5,807 00

—CR—

Remittances to treasurer:

Head tax	\$4,850 00
Penalties	40 00
Abatements by selectmen	205 00
*Uncollected as per collector's list to be collected in 1953 plus penalty	615 00

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1953:

For head taxes	95 00
Penalties	2 00
Total credits	\$5,807 00

Audited Jan. 24, 1953.

HAROLD C. HOLLAND,

T. H. DAVID,

Auditors.

Summary of Warrant**State Head Tax****Levy of 1951**

—DR—

State head taxes committed to collector:

Balance of original warrant	\$303 00
Redemptions from sale	8 00

Added taxes in 1952	70 00
Total commitment	\$381 00
Penalties collected	39 00
Total debits	\$420 00
—CR—	
Remittances to treasurer :	
Head tax	\$381 00
Penalties	39 00
*Uncollected as per collector's list are none, all collected in warrant for 1951.	
Total credits	\$420 00

Respectfully submitted,
 WANDELL A. GOVE,
 Tax Collector.

Audited Jan. 24, 1953.

HAROLD C. HOLLAND,
 T. H. DAVID,
 Auditors.

Timber Yield Taxes Paid to Town of Hinsdale, 1952
Collected and Uncollected Dec. 31, 1952
Warrant

Cecil Butler, Sr., paid	\$59 04
	79 80
Anthony Cerosossimo, paid in January 1953	147 00
Henry Crosby, paid	133 55
Eaton Lumber Co., paid	152 60
	14 00
F. W. Goodridge, all paid	39 00
	62 40
	7 20
	64 50
Chas. H. Lawrence, unpaid as of Jan. 25, 1953	60 00

N. E. Box Co., paid	17 01
Paul Welcome, paid	45 00
Total timber yield tax	\$881 10

I wish to thank the taxpayers, treasurer, auditors, printers, selectmen, postal employees, and all the banking institutions who have helped me in the collection of taxes during the past year. Also Judge H. Weeks and Deputy Sheriff Frank Walker.

Respectfully submitted,
 WANDELL A. GOVE,
 Tax Collector

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Motor Vehicle Permits Issued

1951-52 permits issued, 37	\$80 38
1952-53 permits issued, 923	6,729 80
Paid town treasurer	\$6,810 18

Filing Fees

Town meeting—filing fees	\$10 00
September primary—filing fees	6 00
Paid town treasurer	\$16 00

Auditors' Certification:

This is to certify that we have examined the accounts of the Town Clerk and have found them to be correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

HAROLD C. HOLLAND,
 T. H. DAVID,

Auditors.

As of Dec. 31, 1952.

Owners of DOGS LICENSED FOR 1952

Amidon, Hayden	\$2 00	Dunlop, Edith	2 00
Ammann, Mary Eliz.	5 00	Dutton, Natalie	2 00
Barrett, Florence E.	2 00	Ebbighausen, Robert	2 00
Barrett, Hazel	2 00	Ebbighausen, Robert	2 00
Beckwith, Harriet	2 00	Enright, Mrs. John	2 00
Bednarski, Antoni	2 00	Fales, Linda	2 00
Bell, Harry E.	2 00	Farrell, Harry	2 00
Bernier, Carol	2 00	Field, Everett E. Jr.	2 00
Beruk, John	2 00	Field, Everett E. Sr.	2 00
Bevis, Aubrey	5 00	Field, John D.	2 00
Bevis, Aubrey	2 00	French, Rosabelle	2 00
Bickford, Almeda	2 00	Garfield, Russell M.	2 00
Blossom, Beth	2 00	Gauthier, Archie	2 00
Blouin, Nelson	2 00	Golden, Mary Eliz.	2 00
Bokum, Peter, Jr.	2 00	Gove, Pearl	2 00
Bomba, Michael	2 00	Gratton, Leo	2 00
Bordner, John	2 00	Green, Warren I.	2 00
Bordner, John	5 00	Grover, Lois	2 00
Bosely, Marie & Chas.	2 00	Grover, Joseph	2 00
Bouchie, Albert	2 00	Hale, Walter	2 00
Bouchie, Stephen	2 00	Hale, Walter	2 00
Brown, Byron	2 00	Hamel, Napoleon J.	2 00
Brown, M. Louise	2 00	Hammond, Ralph N.	2 00
Brown, Ronald P.	2 00	Hastings, Alice	2 00
Buckley, Prescott M.	2 00	Hastings, George N. Sr.	2 00
Buraczynski, Mary	2 00	Higgins, Bertha	2 00
Burbeck, Marguerite	2 00	Higgins, Glen F.	19 00
Burnett, Philip	2 00	Holbrook, Royal	2 00
Burnett, Philip	2 00	Holman, Dana	2 00
Butler, Arthur	2 00	Hood, Rev. Howard	2 00
Butler, Arthur	5 00	Howe, Charles	2 00
Butler, Cecil G.	2 00	Howe, O. W.	2 00
Butler, Ernest	2 00	Howe, W. S., Sr.	2 00
Butler, Ernest	2 00	Hudson, Albert	2 00
Butler, Eugene	2 00	Hurn, Harry	2 00
Capen, Harry M.	2 00	Jaquith, Beatrice	2 00
Chalfant, Gail	2 00	Jaquith, Harold	2 00
Chaney, Willie	2 00	Jasienowski, Roger Jr.	2 00
Chamberlin, Paul V.	2 00	Johnson, Elmer	2 00
Cherwa, Shirley	2 00	Jennings, Harold	2 00
Clark, Ronald	2 00	Jennings, Harold L.	2 00
Coons, Bessie	2 00	Kaczan, Rosie	5 00
Copeland, Frances	5 00	Kendrick, Fred D. Sr.	2 00
Cousins, Lois	2 00	Kenney, Robert	2 00
Coty, John R.	2 00	King, Sandra	2 00
Crosby, Martha	2 00	King, William Sr.	5 00
Daniels, Ernest	2 00	Kirkwood, Ada	2 00
Daniels, Ernest	2 00	Kleinberger, Lincoln	2 00
Daniels, Ernest	2 00	Kolnacki, Andrea	2 00
David, Tucker H.	2 00	Kopczynski, Edward	2 00
David, Tucker H.	2 00	Kosnoski, Felicia	2 00
Dixon, Arnold	5 00	Kowal, Walter	2 00
Dodge, E. M.	2 00	Krumenaker, Mrs. Mabel	2 00
Dube, Joseph	2 00	LaChance, Harriet	2 00
Dubriski, Stanley	2 00	Lamy, Lucian	2 00
Duggan, John E.	2 00	LaPlante, Clyde	2 00
Duggan, John E.	2 00	LaPlante, Clyde	2 00

Larabee, Charles	2 00	Russell, Earl	2 00
Larabee, Charles	2 00	Schlattner, Martin	2 00
Latham, Henry I.	5 00	Schlattner, Martin	2 00
Levasseur, Donald	2 00	Schorling, Gretchen A.	2 00
Lowe, Richard	2 00	Sheldon, Annie	2 00
Madigan, Sybil	2 00	Sikoski, John	2 00
Mannarino, Dominic	5 00	Sikoski, Walter	2 00
Marshall, Robert P.	2 00	Smith, Edwin C.	2 00
Martell, Joseph Jr.	5 00	Smith, Leland O.	2 00
Mead, Sylvia	2 00	Sprague, Floyd G.	2 00
Miner, Shirley	2 00	Sprague, Wayne	2 00
Mitchell, Richard	2 00	Stanclift, Mrs. C. V.	5 00
Mleccko, Monica	2 00	Stanclift, Clara	5 00
Moore, Edward	2 00	Stanclift, Doris	2 00
Mosher, Anna F.	2 00	Stanclift, Elwin	2 00
Mosher, Anna F.	2 00	Stearns, Clifford D.	2 00
McCormick, Edward J.	2 00	Stearns, Sidney W.	2 00
McCormick, James N.	2 00	Steward, Percy C.	2 00
McCullough, E. A.	2 00	Streeter, Mrs. Howard I.	2 00
McDonald, Ada	2 00	Strong, Raymond	2 00
Nelson, James	5 00	Taft, Natham	2 00
Newell, Herbert K.	5 00	Taylor, Prentiss W.	2 00
Newell, Herbert K.	5 00	Thereault, Alphonse	2 00
Nichols, Bertha	2 00	Thomson, Skipper & Harry	2 00
O'Connell, Gloria	2 00	Tkaczyk, Russell	2 00
O'Connor, Lucinda	2 00	Tobey, Ralph	2 00
O'Neal, Clarence	2 00	Torrey, Herman A.	2 00
O'Neill, Dennis	2 00	Tucker, Julius	2 00
Owen, Clayton A.	2 00	Tuovinen, Pauline	2 00
Owen, Wayne	2 00	Tuovinen, Pauline	2 00
Paduchak, Mary	2 00	Tupper, Jackson I.	2 00
Pardee, Howard N.	2 00	Turner, Clarence	2 00
Parenchuck, Charles	5 00	VanWormer, Frank A.	2 00
Pavao, Arthur	2 00	Varno, Natalie	2 00
Pawelczyk, Anthony	2 00	Waite, Ronald	2 00
Pelis, Mary	2 00	Walker, Stella	2 00
Perham, Holland	2 00	Walker, Stella	2 00
Perham, Holland	2 00	Wallace, Harold	2 00
Provost, Alice	2 00	Wallace, Ralph	2 00
Rash, Lilla	2 00	Waters, Leonard	2 00
Rash, James	2 00	Waterman, Chester	2 00
Roberts, Elizabeth B.	5 00	Welch, D. P.	2 00
Roberts, Evelyn	2 00	Welch, D. P.	2 00
Rosploch, Charles Jr.	2 00	White, Hubert	5 00
Rouillard, Carl	2 00	Whitman, Lawrence	2 00
Rouillard, Thomas C.	2 00	Wilkins, Elmer Jr.	2 00
Rubeor, Roger	2 00		
194 males @ \$2.00 each			\$388 00
20 females @ \$5.00 each			100 00
			\$488 00
Less fees @ \$.20 each			42 80
Paid town treasurer			\$445 20

Auditors' Certification

This is to certify that we have examined the accounts of the Town Clerk—Dog a/c and have found them to be correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

HAROLD C. HOLLAND,
TUCKER H. DAVID,

Auditors.

As of Dec. 31, 1952.

MUNICIPAL COURT REPORT FOR YEAR 1952

Assault :

Case No. 32 30-day sentence at House of Correction,
Westmoreland.

42 Fine paid—30 days sentence suspended.

43 Fine paid—30 days sentence suspended.

Carrying pistol without license :

Case No. 45 Fine paid.

Disorderly person :

Case No. 24 Fine paid.

Drunk and disturbing peace :

Case No. 11 30-day sentence at House of Correction
, Westmoreland.

15 Fine paid.

26 Fine paid.

Fish & Game violations :

Case No. 34 Fine paid.

35 Fine paid.

37 Fine paid.

38 Fine paid.

39 Fine paid.

40 Fine paid.

41 Fine paid.

Motor Vehicle Violations:

Case No.	1	Fine paid.
	2	Fine paid.
	3	Fine paid.
	4	No costs assessed.
	5	Fine paid.
	6	Fine paid.
	7	Fine paid.
	8	Fine paid.
	9	Fine paid.
	10	Fine paid.
	12	Fine paid.
	13	Fine paid.
	14	Fine paid.
	16	Fine paid.
	17	Nol prossed.
	18	Fine paid.
	19	Fine paid.
	20	Fine paid.
	22	Fine paid.
	23	Fine paid.
	27	Fine paid.
	28	Fine paid.
	29	Fine paid.
	30	Fine paid.
	31	Fine paid.
	33	Fine paid.
	36	Fine paid.
	44	Fine paid.
	48	Held in \$500.00 Bail for Superior Court.
	49	Fine paid.
	50	Fine paid.
	52	Fine paid.
	53	Case filed.
	54	Fine paid.
	55	Fine paid.

Non-support:

Case No.	51	Fine paid and 30-day sentence at House of Correction, Westmoreland.
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HINSDALE FIRE STATION BUILT IN 1883



HINSDALE FIRE STATION COMPLETED IN 1953

Writs, small claims, repossessions :

Case No. 21	Settled. Repossession ordered.
25	Settled. Repossession ordered.
46	Settled. Costs paid.
47	Settled. Costs paid.

Payments Made

State Fish & Game Dep't. :

Case No. 34	\$9 00
35	9 00
37	9 00
38	9 00
39	9 00
40	9 00
41	9 00

\$63 00

Mrs. George Merton :

Case No. 51	\$100 00
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State Motor Vehicle Dep't. :

Case No. 1	\$9 00
5	40 50
6	4 50
7	4 50
9	40 50
10	63 00
12	4 50
13	40 50
14	40 50
16	108 00
18	18 00
19	4 50
20	4 50
22	18 00
23	4 50
27	18 00
28	13 50

29	4 50
31	9 00
36	4 50
44	4 50
49	4 50
50	4 50
52	4 50
54	63 00
55	40 50

\$576 00

Town treasurer:

Case No. 1	\$6 00
2	5 00
3	5 00
5	9 50
6	5 50
7	5 50
8	5 00
9	9 50
10	12 00
12	5 50
13	9 50
14	9 50
15	20 00
16	17 00
18	7 00
19	5 50
20	5 50
21	50
22	7 00
23	5 50
24	15 00
25	50
26	15 00
27	7 00
28	6 50
29	5 50

30	5 00
31	6 00
33	10 00
34	6 00
35	6 00
36	5 50
37	6 00
38	6 00
39	6 00
40	6 00
41	6 00
42	20 00
43	20 00
44	5 50
45	50 00
49	5 50
50	5 50
52	5 50
54	12 00
55	9 50

\$407 00

Total all payments

\$1,146 00

I wish to again thank the State, County and Town Officers for their continued cooperation in the operation of the Court.

HAROLD R. WEEKS,
Justice.

HINSDALE PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING SERVICE

Iva H. Nelson, Treasurer

Report as given to Town January 1, 1953, for year from
January 1, 1952 to January 1, 1953

Balance on hand January 1, 1952	\$42 89
Received from town	3,000 00
Received from service	265 88
Received from Red Cross	31 41
	\$3,340 18

Expenditures

Grais Churchill, R. N.	\$2,500 00
Helen Doyer, R. N.	217 76
Rent of office and garage	150 00
Telephone	117 40
Lights	18 67
Auto expenses	204 41
Supplies	50 97
Misc.	11 25
	\$3,270 46
Balance on hand January 1, 1953	\$69 72

Audited Jan. 12, 1953.

HAROLD C. HOLLAND,
TUCKER H. DAVID,

Town Auditors.

The following is my report for the Hinsdale Nursing Service for the past two years. The by-laws were revised and posted in town and North Hinsdale. An inventory was taken and the Service now has to offer the use of all bed-side equipment, tables, crutches, wheel-chairs, hospital bed, etc. to the residents of the town at a nominal fee. The nurse started a monthly Well Child Clinic and we feel more use of this service could be made. In July 1951, the Red Cross room was cleaned and painted. At this time a new steel cabinet was purchased in which to keep the health records. The nurse's car was re-

lettered, simonized and new seat covers put on. In March 1952, Dr. Houpis of Brattleboro started a children's clinic to be held every two weeks. The services of the Red Cross room, equipment and nurse were offered. Members of the Nursing Service acted as volunteers to transport patients. This clinic has been and still is being conducted without cost to the town. In October 1952, letters were printed giving information about the service and mailed to every family in town. The nurse has conducted sight and hearing tests for the entire school system and reports of any defects have been sent to the parents. Miss Churchill gave care to 599 school children last year and spends approximately 50% of her time doing school work. The need for a Dental Clinic is great but we have been unable to contact any dentist who can do this. The State will contribute an equal amount of money to that raised by the town for such a clinic. We are faced with the loss of income for nursing service from the John Hancock and Metropolitan Insurance Companies and from the local Red Cross chapter which paid half of the rent, light and telephone. This loss of income must be met in some way by the town. The service has discontinued the use of a substitute nurse in the summer by order of the Selectmen. The following is the estimated budget for the year 1953:

Nurse's salary	\$2,600 00	
General car expenses	200 00	
Garage rent	60 00	
Room rent	180 00	
Telephone	120 00	
Lights	20 00	
Overhaul on car	100 00	
Supplies	50 00	
		\$3,330 00
Estimated amount received from the service		200 00
		\$3,130 00

It is hoped that in the future the residents of the town will make more use of the service.

DOROTHY B. CHALFANT,
Chairman 1951-1953.

The following is my report for the period between January 1, 1952 and December 31, 1952.

The number of cases were :

Non-communicable	604
Communicable	153

Of these were :

Prenatal	2
Newborn	3
Infant (inc. baby station and clinics)	49
Pre-school (inc. baby station and clinics)	81
School	599
Adult	66
Tuberculosis (no. to clinics)	29
Crippled children	7
Health services	154

The total number of field visits were 1,672, office visits 473, cases admitted 323, and discharged 458.

On March 1, 1952 the first Well Child Clinic was held in the Community Room with Dr. John Houpis of Brattleboro as examining physician. There were 12 more clinics held in the Red Cross Room during the year. There were 36 children in all who attended these clinics. Of these 8 received their 3 in 1 immunization shots, 5 received boosters and 4 received vaccinations. Other children had not received all three of their series at the end of the year.

On July 22nd, an X-ray mobile unit, provided by the New Hampshire State Department of Health, took chest X-rays of people who had been previously signed up by canvassers and many who had not previously signed up for this. This unit also did the local industries as well, and many people took advantage of this opportunity.

My report of school activity follows.

There were 207 days when children received attention.

On these days the number seen at the school or in the Red Cross Room were 5,065. The number of home visits were 265.

The following cases were :

Vaccination check ups	20
Measles	44
Chicken pox	39
Scabies	6
Pediculosis	50
Pin worms	4
Scarlet fever	2
Impetigo	2
Tuberculosis, to clinics	17
First aid	82

The rest of the elementary school children were examined for ringworm of the scalp, and regular inspections were made for pediculosis.

Children or school personnel attended 5 tuberculosis clinics and 4 orthopedic clinics in Keene.

In April 259 children and teachers received the patch test for tuberculosis. All those who showed a positive reaction, had chest X-rays taken.

Also in April a talk was given to the biology class.

In May some of the classes in the elementary school had contests on the care of teeth and general cleanliness. Charts and model sets of teeth were furnished by the Bristol-Myers Co. During the month two movies on the care of teeth were shown to all of the classes.

The annual physical examination of the school children was done after the opening of school by Dr. Edmond LaChaine. The following defects were found.

Enlarged or diseased tonsils	24
Poor teeth, many of them permanent teeth (a slight improvement over last year)	150
Underweight (mostly high school students)	8
Overweight	15

A Massachusetts Vision Testing Machine was purchased this year by the schools. This machine was used to test all the pupils this year with the exception of the kindergarten pupils. This is a great improvement over the old system. There were

100 children found with defective vision, some with only slight defects.

About 25 pupils had not been vaccinated at the beginning of the school year. The last two years the New Hampshire State Department of Health has extended the date until December 1st, because of the prevalence of polio in the summer and early fall months. It is hoped that the parents of school children going this next year will have their children vaccinated in the spring so that it will be done when they enter school in the fall.

On September 10th a school nurses meeting was attended in Concord. An explanation was made of the various school forms and a demonstration was given of the Massachusetts Vision Testing Machine and the audiometer.

I wish to thank everyone for the help and co-operation they have given me, especially the members of the nursing service and the teachers.

Respectfully submitted,

GRAIS E. CHURCHILL, R. N.

LIBRARY REPORT

Hours open per week	23
Total circulation	22,022
Adult fiction	9,697
Adult non-fiction	2,376
Juvenile fiction	4,843
Magazines	2,482
Average daily	73
Percent of fiction	70

There has been a big increase in circulation due to so many more children in the lower grades who use the library. We are able to purchase enough books to take care of these children with the interest from the Amidon Fund. We should always be grateful for what this thoughtful and kind person did for the Hinsdale Public Library, as well as others who left trust funds.

The librarian attended an American Library Association meeting in New York City this year where librarians from all over the world met. Also two Connecticut Valley meetings, at one of which she was accompanied by Miss Merritt, a library trustee.

"Our children can't read," by Roy Larsen of Times, Inc., who investigated conditions and found that children are reading one grade higher at the same age, than they did thirty years ago. This is true of children in Hinsdale, who, in many instances, are two grades more advanced.

It has been brought to our attention that a few children spend money given by parents for library fines as they are almost never charged full amounts. Fines and restrictions are used only when privileges are abused.

In the past year the New Hampshire bookmobile has called a number of times and we appreciate this service and the helpfulness of Mr. Charles D. Maurer, Jr., who is in charge.

We hope that the library will be redecorated before the 200th celebration as it should be open at that time to serve as a meeting place for visitors.

One meeting was held with the school board and selectmen to arrange hours for basketball practice.

Respectfully submitted,
LEULLA STREETER,
Librarian.

REPORT OF TREASURER OF LIBRARY COMMITTEE

	Petty Cash	Amidon Trust Fund	Stearns-Bowker-Jones Fund	Misc.	Town Approp.	Defense Bond and Int.
Jan. 1st, 1952:						
Amount on hand	\$20 00		\$ 20		\$32 20	\$137 58
Received 1952	148 04	\$250 00	30 00		1,400 00	2 50
Sale of old books				50 00		
Total	\$168 04	\$250 00	\$30 20	\$50 00	\$1,432 20	\$140 08
Expenditures 1952	167 04	250 00	30 20	50 00	1,387 13	
Bal. Jan. 1st, 1953	\$1 00				\$45 07	\$140 08

Expenditures for 1952:

	Town a/c	Amidon a/c	S-B-J-a/c
Librarian's salary	\$500 10		
Sub. librarian's salary	7 50		
H. R. Huntting Co.	64 18	112 58	
Ginn & Company	2 74	34 82	
New England News Co.	533 25		
H. W. Wilson Co.	31 80		
Public Service Co. of N. H.	51 60		
I. S. Wesby & Sons	111 93	52 60	\$30 20
Moore-Cottrell Co.	13 70	50 00	
Remington Rand Co.	11 70		
Miller Sales	15 00		
Sentinel Printing Co.	3 50		
Children's Book Council	4 10		
Houghton & Simonds	1 35		
Baker's	7 30		
Supt. of Documents, Govt. Ptg.	3 00		
Colton Insurance Co.	56 00		
Hinsdale Press	1 50		
Jean Karr	10 38		
Bank charges	6 50		

\$1,437 13	\$250 00	\$30 20
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MILDRED M. MERRITT,
Treasurer.

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the accounts of the Library and have found them to be correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

HAROLD C. HOLLAND,
T. H. DAVID,

Auditors.

As of Dec. 31. 1952.

ANNUAL REPORT

of the

SCHOOL BOARD

of

Hinsdale School District

for

FISCAL YEAR

JULY 1, 1951 — JUNE 30, 1952



Mary D. Kerylow

In Memoriam

MARY D. KERYLOW

With profound sorrow, the School Board of Hinsdale, New Hampshire, records the death on September 12, 1952, of Mrs. Mary D. Kerylow. Mrs. Kerylow taught regularly in the Hinsdale schools for five years prior to her untimely death. She was most conscientious in the performance of her duties, genuinely concerned with the welfare of her pupils and constantly interested in her own professional improvement.

Mrs. Kerylow was a decided asset to the community of Hinsdale, faithfully serving it in every possible way she could. With the sense of community loss is mingled deep sympathy for the members of her family.

Be it therefore resolved, that this expression of appreciation be sent to the family and also spread upon the records of the Hinsdale School District.

Earl A. Clark,
Margaret G. Streeter,
Edmund A. Bousquet,

School Board.

Chester C. Lees,
Superintendent of Schools.

OFFICERS, TEACHERS AND EMPLOYEES OF HINSDALE SCHOOL DISTRICT

JASON HOLMAN, Moderator

HANNA PIKE, Clerk

JESSE W. FIELD, Treasurer

HAROLD C. HOLLAND

TUCKER DAVID

Auditors

School Board

EARL A. CLARK, Chairman

Term expires 1953

EDMUND A. BOUSQUET

Term expires 1954

MRS. ROGER STREETER

Term expires 1955

Superintendent of Schools

CHESTER C. LEES

Teachers

Hinsdale High School:

LEON D. DOYER, Principal, (Mathematics and Science)

DORIS B. SMITH (Mrs.) Assistant Principal, (Social Studies
and English)

STANFORD WHITE, (Mechanic Arts and Manual Training)

WILLIAM S. McMILLAN, (Music)

EDWIN D. BARLOW, (Mathematics and Science)

MABEL V. HOLMES (Mrs.), (English, French and Latin)

ELLEN McCLINTOCK, (Commercial)

JULIA J. BOORAS, (Home Economics)

Hinsdale Elementary School:

ARTHUR G. SCOTT, JR., Principal (Grade 6)

MARY C. SIMONDS (Mrs.), (Grades 5-6)

ISMAY M. CAMPBELL (Mrs.), (Grade 5)

ROSETTA B. LOWE (Mrs.), (Grade 4)

KATHRYN G. DRISCOLL, (Grades 3-4)

MARY COLL, (Grade 3)

MARION J. POWERS (Mrs.), (Grade 2)
SHIRLEY I. HOULE (Mrs.), (Grades 1-2)
GLADYS A. LEES (Mrs.), (Grade 1)
HARRIET LaCHANCE (Mrs.), (Kindergarten)

Truant Officer

GEORGE PODMORE

Janitors

Elementary School—GEORGE PODMORE

High School—PHILIP COVEY

MARK SMITH

JEROME EBBIGHAUSEN ..

Transporters

ROBERT A. BRANDL

GEORGE PODMORE

School Nurse

GRAIS CHURCHILL, R. N.

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

SCHOOL WARRANT

To the inhabitants of the School District in the town of Hinsdale qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the seventh day of March 1953, at two o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the ensuing year.
1. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
2. To choose a member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
6. To choose Agents, Auditors, Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
7. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state equalization fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.

Given under our hands at said Hinsdale, this ninth day of February, 1953.

EARL A. CLARK,
MARGARET G. STREETER,
EDMUND A. BOUSQUET,
School Board.

A true copy of warrant—Attest:

EARL A. CLARK,
MARGARET G. STREETER,
EDMUND A. BOUSQUET,
School Board.

HINSDALE SCHOOL DISTRICT

Budget for 1953-1954

EXPENDITURES

Administration:

Salaries of district officers	\$1,000 00
Superintendent's salary (local share)	1,739 00
Tax for state wide supervision	920 00
Salaries of other administrative personnel	1,104 00
Supplies and expenses	550 00

Instruction:

High school teachers' salaries	19,741 00
Elementary teachers' salaries	38,839 00
Books and other instruction aids, high	600 00
Books and other instruction aids, elementary	800 00
Scholars' supplies, high	1,100 00
Scholars' supplies, elementary	1,300 00
Salaries of clerical assistants, high	50 00
Supplies and other expenses, high	400 00
Supplies and other expenses, elementary	350 00

Operation of School Plant:

Salaries of janitors, high	1,100 00
Salaries of janitors, elementary	3,300 00
Fuel or heat, high	600 00
Fuel or heat, elementary	1,400 00
Water, light, supplies and expenses, high	600 00
Water, light, supplies and expenses, elementary	1,500 00

Maintenance of school plant:

Repairs and replacements, high	600 00
Repairs and replacements, elementary	400 00

Auxiliary activities:

Health supervision, high	50 00
Health supervision, elementary	150 00
Transportation, high	1,100 00
Transportation, elementary	6,100 00

Special activities and special funds, high	200 00
Special activities and special funds, elementary	100 00

Fixed charges:

Teachers' retirement, high	1,274 00
Teachers' retirement, elementary	2,506 00
Insurance, treasurer's bonds and expenses, high	525 00
Insurance, treasurer's bonds and expenses, elementary	1,000 00

Total current expenses	\$90,998 00
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Capital outlay:

Additions and improvements, high	\$250 00
Additions and improvements, elementary	250 00
New equipment, high	750 00
New equipment, elementary	750 00

Total capital outlay	2,000 00
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Debt and interest:

Principal of debt	\$9,000 00
Interest on debt	3,362 50

Total debt and interest	12,362 50
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Total school appropriation	\$105,360 50
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RECEIPTS

Estimated balance, July 1, 1953	\$1,300 00
Federal aid	800 00

Total receipts other than property taxes	\$2,100 00
District assessment	103,260 50

Total school appropriation	\$105,360 50
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EARL A. CLARK,
MARGARET G. STREETER,
EDMUND A. BOUSQUET,
School Board.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE HINSDALE SCHOOL DISTRICT

For Fiscal Year July 1, 1951—June 30, 1952

RECEIPTS

Federal Aid:

(a) Smith-Hughes and George-Barden	\$857 83	
(b) National school lunch	1,902 66	
Total		\$2,760 49

Local Taxation:

(a) Current appropriation	87,882 50
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Other Sources:

(a) Secondary school tuition	\$250 00	
(b) Other	95 86	
Total		345 86
Total receipts from all sources		\$90,988 85

Cash on hand at beginning of year, July 1, 1951

General fund	\$1,903 85	
Capital outlay fund	940 84	
Total		2,844 69
Grand total		\$93,833 54

PAYMENTS

	Total Amount	General Expenses	High School	Elementary School
Administration:				
Salaries of district officers	\$930 00		\$217 62	\$712 38
Superintendent's salary (local share)	1,491 00		348 89	1,142 11
Tax for state wide supervision	874 00		205 39	668 61
Salaries of other administrative personnel	963 37		225 43	737 94
Supplies and expenses	428 87		100 36	328 51
Instruction:				
Teachers' salaries	46,029 26		15,653 39	30,375 87
Books and other instructional aids	1,109 49		407 05	702 44
Scholars' supplies	1,999 06		852 36	1,146 70
Salaries of clerical assistants	27 95		25 00	2 95
Supplies and other expenses	605 26		364 35	240 91
Operation of School plant:				
Salaries of janitors	4,110 65		903 89	3,206 76
Fuel or heat	1,813 57		508 00	1,305 57
Water, light, supplies and expenses	1,935 87		492 83	1,443 04
Maintenance of School Plant:				
Repairs and re-placements	1,171 19		660 09	511 10

Auxiliary Activities:

Health supervision	221 58	48 88	172 70
Transportation	6,559 00	1,108 40	5,450 60
Special activities	1,053 59	421 16	632 43
School lunch (federal funds)	1,902 66		1,902 66

Fixed Charges:

Retirement	2,872 17	880 16	1,992 01
Insurance, treasurer's bonds and expenses	1,500 73	499 08	1,001 65

Total current expenses	\$77,599 27	\$23,922 33	\$53,676 94
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Capital outlay:

Lands and new buildings	\$869 20		869 20
Additions and improvements to buildings	425 32	255 19	170 13
New equipment	1,106 71	564 31	542 40

Debt and Interest:

Principal of debt	9,000 00	9,000 00
Interest on debt	3,800 00	3,800 00

Total payments for all purposes	\$92,800 50	\$12,800 00	\$24,741 83	\$55,258 67
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Cash on hand at
end of year, June
30, 1952

General fund	\$961 40
Capital outlay fund	71 64

Grand total	\$93,833 54
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**Explanation of Difference Between Net (Actual)
Expenditures and Gross Transactions**

RECEIPTS

Total net income plus cash on hand, July 1, 1951	\$93,833 54
Receipts from refunds	11 44
Total gross income	<u>\$93,844 98</u>

PAYMENTS

Total net payments plus cash on hand June 30, 1952	\$93,833 54
Payments refunded	11 44
Total gross income	<u>\$93,844 98</u>

BALANCE SHEET

June 30, 1952

ASSETS

Cash on hand, June 30, 1952	\$1,033 04
Total assets	<u>\$1,033 04</u>
Net debt (excess of liabilities over assets)	147,768 56
Grand total	<u>\$148,801 60</u>

LIABILITIES

Accounts owned by district :

Bonds outstanding	\$148,000 00
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Reserved for special purposes :

Repairs (insurance)	729 96
School building fund	71 64
Total liabilities	<u>\$148,801 60</u>
Grand total	<u>\$148,801 60</u>

STATUS OF SCHOOL BONDS

Bonds outstanding at beginning of year,	
July 1, 1951	\$157,000 00
Payments on principal	9,000 00
Bonds outstanding at end of year, June 30, 1952	<u>\$148,000 00</u>

Audited August 13, 1952.

HAROLD C. HOLLAND,
T. H. DAVID,

Auditors.

**ANNUAL REPORT OF
SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER
Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1952**

Cash on hand, July 1, 1951	\$2,844 69
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Received from selectmen:

Current appropriation	\$87,882 50
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Received from state treasurer:

Federal funds	2,760 49
Received from tuitions	250 00
Received from all other sources	107 30

Total receipts	\$91,000 29
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Total amount available for fiscal year	\$93,844 98
Less school board orders paid	92,811 94

Balance on hand, June 30, 1952	\$1,033 04
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JESSE W. FIELD,
District Treasurer.

July 23, 1952.

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Hinsdale, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1952, and find them correct in all respects.

HAROLD A. HOLLAND,
T. H. DAVID,

Auditors.

August 13, 1952.

NEW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ACCOUNT

Balance on hand, July 1, 1951	\$940 84
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Expenditures

Andrew J. Farnham	\$505 70
Beckley-Cardy Company	204 65
J. L. Hammett Company	16 86
Holden & Martin Lumber Company	18 83
H. P. Welch Company	2 16
Southwestern N. H. Transportation Co.	7 96
Charles E. Hayes Company	63 18
Milton Bradley Company	49 86
Total	869 20

Balance on hand, June 30, 1952	\$71 64
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Transfer to general fund account, Sept. 15, 1952	\$71 64
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HINSDALE SCHOOL DISTRICT

Schedule of Interest and Principal Payments on School Construction Issue of May 1, 1949, in Original Principal Amount of \$175,000.00

School Year	Principal	Interest	Total
1952-53	\$9,000 00	\$3,587 50	\$12,587 50
1953-54	9,000 00	3,362 50	12,362 50
1954-55	10,000 00	3,125 00	13,125 00
1955-56	10,000 00	2,875 00	12,875 00
1956-57	10,000 00	2,625 00	12,625 00
1957-58	10,000 00	2,375 00	12,375 00
1958-59	11,000 00	2,112 50	13,112 50
1959-60	11,000 00	1,837 50	12,837 50
1960-61	11,000 00	1,562 50	12,562 50
1961-62	11,000 00	1,287 50	12,287 50
1962-63	12,000 00	1,000 00	13,000 00
1963-64	12,000 00	700 00	12,700 00

1964-65	12,000 00	400 00	12,400 00
1965-66	10,000 00	125 00	10,125 00
	\$148,000 00	\$26,975 00	\$174,975 00

REPORT OF THE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM

The school lunch program was operated for the third year. Only type "A" lunches were served.

The community of Hinsdale is fortunate to have the services of Mrs. Doris Foster and Mrs. Roman Tkaczyk as cafeteria personnel. Mrs. Foster heads the cafeteria and is responsible for all planning, buying and other details involved in the lunch program. Mrs. Tkaczyk assists very ably.

The records of the program are kept by the principal of the Elementary School.

Throughout the year well balanced, appetizing and filling meals were served to approximately 170 children each day. Another 10 meals per day were served to the teachers of the building. Both pupils and teachers receive the same meal. So called "seconds" were available to those desiring more than that received in the first serving .

Approximately two thirds of the school enrollment avail themselves of the hot lunch program. I would like to encourage those who do not take advantage of the lunch program to do so. Recent nation-wide studies of the benefits of a hot, balanced school lunch are very convincing evidence of their worth.

During the past year government surplus food shipments were curtailed and this coupled with increased food costs is reflected in the financial summary.

At the holiday seasons, Thanksgiving and Christmas, a complete turkey dinner was served by the program. Another special event, worth noting, was the buffet style picnic lunch served on the playground area which closed our program for the year.

The program purchases as much as possible direct from wholesale grocery houses feeling that in turn it will be able to serve more, better and a greater variety of foods because of the lower costs of wholesale buying.

It is not the purpose of the lunch program to show a profit, rather, it is to provide each participant with the most possible for the least amount of money.

During the year some new equipment was purchased by the lunch program. The equipment purchased included a safe, table with a Formica top for kitchen use, cash boxes for teacher use, and freezer supplies.

The Hinsdale School District had a new three compartment dish washer sink installed in the cafeteria kitchen. This was in keeping with the recommendations of the State Department of Health.

During the spring of 1952 Miss Ruth Cutter, State Supervisor of Hot Lunch Programs, assured me that this is one of the finest programs operating in the state.

I believe that this is a good time to review the aims and purposes of the school lunch program. Outstanding in its aims and purposes are the following:

1. To increase the health of the participant.
2. To provide the participant with a well balanced diet.
3. To introduce new and interesting foods and eating experiences.
4. To give training and social experiences with other people.

The following is a summary of my financial report from June 30, 1951 to June 30, 1952.

Cash on hand June 30, 1951	\$1,224 70
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Receipts

Cash received from lunches	\$7,622 71
Federal reimbursements from	
U. S. D. A.	1,530 60
Other receipts	23 50

Total	\$10,401 51
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Disbursements :

Paid for food and milk	\$7,434 41
Paid for labor	2,008 42
Paid for equipment	327 89
Other expenditures	585 85
Total	\$10,356 57

Cash on hand June 30, 1952	\$44 94
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Respectfully submitted,
 ARTHUR G. SCOTT, JR.,
 Principal, Elementary School.

January 15, 1953.

REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF THE HIGH SCHOOL

December 31, 1952

To the Superintendent of Schools :

I herewith submit my sixth annual report as principal of the high school.

Each school year, representatives from various colleges discuss with pupils the offerings in courses at their respective institutions. This year representatives from colleges have stressed the opportunities in specialized fields, college activities, and the opportunities in terminal, pre-profession and exploratory courses. College personnel who visited and talked with members of our school discussed vocations in business, nursing, technical, trade and teacher training colleges.

The Open-House Night was observed during National Education Week. Parents and friends visited school and observed classes in session during the evening.

The civics class supervised an election on national election day in which all pupils of the school voted. The election was conducted similarly to election procedures held in the town hall.

The school was visited by the usual state Board of Education personnel which included the following: the Director of Secondary School Services; the Director of Occupational Information and Guidance; the Supervisor of Home Economics Teachers; the Supervisor of Industrial Arts Teachers; and the Supervisor of Vocational Rehabilitation. The executive secretary of the State Educators Association also visited our school.

The music department presented its Christmas Concert to a capacity audience, and the Spring Concert to a very receptive group of concert goers. Some members of the school participated in the All-State chorus and others took part in the All-State band concert in Rochester, New Hampshire. The band and chorus were part of the South-Western Music Festival at Laconia, New Hampshire. An instrument rental fee for school owned instruments is in effect to defray instrumental repair expenses.

The sports program remains mostly unchanged with our school winning a major part of its games in most of the sports. Last September a soccer ball clinic was held for the benefit of the Border League Schools who were contemplating a change in the boys' fall games. The boys from all the schools participated in the clinic demonstration. At a meeting which followed soon after the clinic, soccer ball was adopted as the fall league sport.

The Seniors, Juniors, and Freshmen presented plays as usual. The Senior play, "Good-bye My Fancy," was very well received. The Freshmen-Junior 3 one-act plays were very successful. The plays were entitled, "Wildcat Willie," "Sister Sue," and "Squaring it with the Boss."

A number of educational films were shown during the year. Three movies based on great English novels were shown to the pupils in the upper four grades. A series of movies which stressed safety on the highways were shown to all grades. The film titles were: Night Driving, Drinking and Driving, Irritating Driving, Highway Driving and Driving and the Law.

Tests were administered to senior pupils who did not plan to attend college. A state employment agent, whose office is in

Keene, gave the tests. Tests in achievement were given to the seventh and eighth grades and mental ability tests were given to the eighth, tenth, and twelfth grades.

Two state wide essay awards were made to members of our school this year. One pupil in the senior class won the first place History Award by writing an essay sponsored by Governor Adams. The winner received a check and a complimentary letter from our state governor. A junior class member won a three days visiting trip to New York City, with all expenses paid by the Silver Brothers of Manchester. The trip was won by writing an essay on "What America Means to Me, a High School Student."

In the interest of health many tests were administered. All pupils received their physicals by Doctor LaChaine who was assisted by the district nurse. Pupils interested in sports were checked for blood pressure. The nurse checked the hearing and the eyes of all pupils. The eye test was made with the Massachusetts Eye Testing Machine. The T. B. patch test was also given to all pupils.

The Ashuelot Valley Educators' Association came into existence this school year. It is a local teachers association whose membership is opened to all teachers and supervisors in the towns of Hinsdale, Winchester, Swanzey and Richmond. At present a minimum of 4 meetings are to be held each year. The purpose of the organization is to promote within the teaching group the highest type of professional practices; to encourage active participation of all teachers in the solution of school problems; to urge every member of the profession to be a progressive student of education; to aid in securing and maintaining adequate salaries, tenure, sound retirement system, and such other improvements in conditions as will enable teachers to function properly as a vital factor in educational progress; to aid in interpreting to the public the problems, the functions, and the steady progress of the public schools.

The present trend of American education is to encourage all students to remain in high school until graduation, provided that the student himself is willing to accept the re-

sponsibilities of high school citizenship which include good conduct and a reasonable effort to do assigned work.

The philosophy of this trend is that pupils learn through association with their fellow schoolmates and become better citizens because of this association. Through the medium of association, the pupils are able to gain much adjustment to social living if they do not lose contact with persons their own age. Pupils who are discharged from school because they are intellectually unable to do high school work feel unwanted and insecure. Educators know that students should remain in school as long as good standards of conduct and effort are met.

Our school has upheld this philosophy for many years, and individual students are not required to meet rigid and inflexible class standards in order to pass a course or graduate. This should not be construed to mean, however, that the diploma may be awarded haphazardly to students who make little or no effort to earn the same.

It will become apparent from the above, that the significance of the diploma has changed considerably, but never to the degree of being merely an attendance certificate. The real importance of the diploma is not in itself, but rather in the scholastic and citizenship records which the bearer has made for himself in high school. The real value of the diploma lies in the records which are permanently retained at the school and forwarded to all interested employers and institutions of higher learning.

Some of the areas in which our school is limited include: driver training, physical education, and a physical school plant to meet the needs of our boys and girls.

The classes sponsored the usual ways and means of earning money for their class funds. The following are the balances of the various funds on deposit at the bank in Winchester, December 19th:

Class of

1953	\$663 44
1954	680 12
1955	442 51

1956	188 99
1957	60 51
1958	8 55
Music fund	128 51
Athletic fund	43 73
Student council	21 46

The members of the graduation class of 1951 follows:

Beverly Ann Bernier
 Theodore Frederick Bokum
 Marilyn Emily Butler
 Robie Emmitt Davis
 John Devine Field
 Judith Ann Higgins
 Nelson Marshall Hudson
 William E. King, Jr.
 Barbara Edith Lees
 Kathryn Ann Rubeor, Honor Essayist, Secy.
 Calvin Charles Lowe, Treasurer
 Joan Belle Sheldon, Valedictorian
 Bernard Howard Starkey, President
 Mary Louise Bousquet, Salutatorian
 Ronald Stuart Capen, Vice President
 Ruth Olga Tkaczyk
 Esther May Owen
 Janet Marilyn McAuliffe

Parents and friends are welcome to visit school any time, and make appointments with teachers after school whenever necessary.

Respectfully submitted,
 LEON L. DOYER,

Principal.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens of Hinsdale:

I have the honor to submit my sixth annual report.

Teachers: The largest turnover in recent years took place in our personnel as schools reopened in September.

High School: Mrs. Mabel V. Holmes was elected to the English and language position vacated by Mrs. Gertrude B. Stearns. Mrs. Holmes is a graduate of Colby College and has had graduate study at Middlebury College. Mrs. Stearns resigned to accept a similar position in Peterboro, New Hampshire.

Miss Julia J. Booras, a graduate of Keene Teachers College, was elected to the Home Economics position. Miss Dorothy M. Thompson resigned to be married.

The Mathematics and Science position was filled by the election of Mr. Edwin D. Barlow. Mr. Barlow holds the Bachelor's degree from Holy Cross College and the Master's degree from Harvard University. He replaced Mr. Stanley W. Peters who resigned to accept a similar position in Concord, New Hampshire.

Elementary School: During the illness of Mrs. Mary D. Kerylow, Mrs. Bessie Hanrahan, a Keene Teachers College graduate, taught grade two for the balance of last year. Beginning in September and following Mrs. Kerylow's untimely death, Mrs. J. Powers was assigned to the second position.

Miss Kathryn G. Driscoll, a graduate of Plymouth Teachers College, was elected to replace Miss Ruth Dexter who resigned to enter business. Miss Driscoll teaches grades three and four.

Mrs. Shirley I. Houle is teaching grades one and two. Mrs. Houle is a graduate of Keene Teachers College.

Because of the large fifth and sixth grade classes, Mrs. Mary C. Simonds was added to our elementary school staff. Mrs. Simonds is a graduate of Plymouth Teachers College.

Buildings and Grounds: According to the plans of the school board as mentioned in last year's report, Room 1 in the high school was completely reconditioned. The floor has been resurfaced and the walls painted in pastel buff and blue. Movable desk and chair units were installed in this room similar to those in the new elementary school. These units are highly recommended by leading school authorities for a modern educational program because of their flexibility and adaptability.

Room 2 in the high school was also redecorated. A side-jet drinking fountain, a type recommended by the State Department of Health, was installed on the second floor.

On the exterior, a new wire fence was erected. The stone wall at the rear of the play area was removed and the bank was graded. The walk leading to the front entrance was resurfaced. These were all major improvements from a safety point of view.

At the elementary school, the spare room on the ground floor was completed as a classroom. A celotex ceiling was built, asphalt tile laid for the floor, chalk boards and tack boards installed and new light fixtures provided. This room was also outfitted with the necessary equipment. An attractive room is the result which is being used for the fifth and sixth grade combined class.

The lavatories were repainted. A dishwasher has been installed in the kitchen. Then entrance driveway was widened to eliminate the travel of trucks and buses over the grassed area.

ENROLLMENT TRENDS

Enrollment Table—December, 1952

School	GRADE													Total
	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	
Elementary	42	55	37	37	41	44	43							299
High								35	30	27	29	20	26	167
Grand total														466

Possible Future First Grade Enrollments

(Data taken from School Census Cards)

1953	1954	1955	1956	1957
63	37	44	46	36

As was mentioned in last year's report, it is impossible to predict accurately just what the enrollments will be in the future. To reiterate, families move in and out of town and the figures will change from year to year. However, by projecting the numbers of pre-school children now shown on the census cards on the grade table printed above, at least an indication of future enrollments may be secured. Since not all children of kindergarten age are in attendance, the present enrollment of 42 is used as an arbitrary figure in the following table except for the years 1953-54 and 1956-57 when 37 and 36 seem to be the maximum numbers, respectively.

Possible Future Enrollments
Elementary School
GRADE

School Year	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
1953-54	37	63	55	37	37	41	44	314
1954-55	42	37	63	55	37	37	41	312
1955-56	42	44	37	63	55	37	37	315
1956-57	36	46	44	37	63	55	37	318
1957-58	42	36	46	44	37	63	55	323

High School (next eleven years)
GRADE

School year	7	8	9	10	11	12	Total
1953-54	43	35	30	27	29	20	184
1954-55	44	43	35	30	27	29	208
1955-56	41	44	43	35	30	27	220
1956-57	37	41	44	43	35	30	230
1957-58	37	37	41	44	43	35	237
1958-59	55	37	37	41	44	43	257
1959-60	63	55	37	37	41	44	277
1960-61	37	63	55	37	37	41	270
1961-62	44	37	63	55	37	37	273
1962-63	46	44	37	63	55	37	282
1963-64	36	46	44	37	63	55	281

The above figures are purely approximations. The high school figures, in particular, are higher than they probably will be. They assume that no pupils will leave school before graduation and this is not likely to be the case.

However, the figures will serve the purpose of providing an indication of enrollment trends for the town of Hinsdale. They are valuable in presenting a picture which will aid in future planning.

Our elementary school is adequate for the years ahead. The high school, however, will have its problems. The present structure must be maintained in good repair and plans made to meet the expected increase in enrollments.

In conclusion, I wish to express my appreciation to the teachers, pupils and parents, the School Board and the patrons of our schools for their cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,
CHESTER C. LEES,
 Superintendent of Schools.

January 10, 1953,
 Winchester, N. H.

ROLL OF HONOR
(Perfect Attendance)

Hinsdale High School

Beverly Bernier	Grade 12
Joan Sheldon	Grade 12
Ruth Tkaczyk	Grade 12
Barbara Bouehie	Grade 11
Richard Jarvis	Grade 11
Gloria O'Connell	Grade 11
Robert LaChance	Grade 10
Mark Smith	Grade 10
Shirley Cherwa	Grade 9
David Smith	Grade 9
Chester Thomas	Grade 9
Anne Bordner	Grade 8

Mary Louise Ethridge	Grade 8
Dona Lindsay	Grade 8
Robert Marshall	Grade 8
Frances Matuszewski	Grade 8
Regina Rogers	Grade 8
Anne Tkaczyk	Grade 8
Josephine Pelech	Grade 7
Martin Wojchick	Grade 7

Hinsdale Elementary School

Rosemary Major	Grade 6
Robert I. Smith	Grade 6
Edith M. Thomas	Grade 6
Anders Thomas	Grade 5
Carolyn Wojchick	Grade 5
Janet Wojchick	Grade 4
Mary Jane Bernier	Grade 3

STATISTICAL TABLE OF HINSDALE SCHOOLS

1951-1952

School	Enrollment	Average Attendance	Average Membership	Percent of Attendance	Visits by Citizens	Not absent or tardy
Hinsdale High grades 9-12	105	96.85	101.09	95.80	0	11
grades 7-8	66	57.44	60.62	94.76	0	9
Elementary, grade 6	38	33.44	35.22	94.95	2	3
grade 5	47	40.01	43.64	91.67	6	2
grade 4	43	38.69	41.58	93.05	31	1
grade 3	41	35.76	39.31	90.96	16	1
grade 2	42	32.27	37.46	86.16	25	0
grade 1	40	33.37	38.40	86.91	20	0
kindergarten	39	28.04	34.53	81.21	39	0
Totals	461	395.87	431.85	91.67	139	27

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Dec. 16, 1920	Frederick A. Adams	U. S. Bond	\$100.00	2 1/2		\$2.50	\$2.50	
Jan. 14, 1929	Oliver Adams	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2		5.00	5.00	
Dec. 11, 1916	William B. Adams	U. S. Bond	300.00	2 1/2	\$9.81	7.50	6.00	\$11.31
Apr. 23, 1923	Annie E. Amidon	Mechanics Savings Bank	2,500.00	3		75.00	75.00	
Apr. 23, 1923	Annie E. Amidon	Manchester Savings Bank	2,500.00	3	8.02	75.00	58.02	25.00
Apr. 5, 1916	Mary A. Arnold	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
Jan. 16, 1923	Lucretia Atwood	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
Jan. 24, 1943	Atwood & Butler	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	2.00	5.00	5.00	2.00
Apr. 22, 1935	Bailey & Smith	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	4.50	5.00	4.00	5.50
Dec. 21, 1950	Harriet E. Bascom	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2		5.00	5.00	66
July 19, 1937	Emma F. Barrett	Cheshire County Savings Bank	188.18	3	12.47	6.50	1.76	13.47
Nov. 17, 1937	Katherine J. Barrett	U. S. Bond	300.00	2 1/2		7.50	5.00	
Sept. 6, 1908	Martha A. Barrett	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2		5.00	5.00	
July 20, 1943	Walter H. Barrett	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
Feb. 3, 1919	Wm. W. Barrett	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
Oct. 3, 1921	Adella M. Barrows	U. S. Bond	500.00	2 1/2		12.50	12.50	
Sept. 25, 1943	Edgar Bartlett	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	.50	2.50	2.50	1.50
Oct. 3, 1950	Joseph Bell	Manchester Savings Bank	200.00	3		6.00	5.00	
July 8, 1946	John Bieniek	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
Dec. 21, 1950	Margaret C. Bergeron	Cheshire County Savings Bank	500.00	3	.25	15.00	11.00	4.25
Mar. 26, 1934	Barrows & Bolton	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
May 24, 1906	Edward Blanchard	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
Aug. 16, 1945	Day & Boldt	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
Nov. 21, 1921	Bowker & Stratton	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00
July 1, 1927	Della H. Boyden	U. S. Bond	300.00	2 1/2	3.67	7.50	7.00	4.17
Feb. 1, 1929	Bradford Britton	U. S. Bond	500.00	2 1/2	4.25	12.50	12.50	4.25
Aug. 8, 1928	Fred A. Buckley	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
Oct. 11, 1916	I. H. Burns	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
Sept. 24, 1924	Eva Burnham	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	

†Overdraft .22.

Jan. 10, 1936	Foster Butler	U. S. Bond	600.00	2½	16.79	15.00	12.00	19.79
Sept. 9, 1924	Butler & Blanchard	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		2.50		
Jan. 9, 1932	A. W. Cady	Manchester Savings Bank	190.00	3	7.18	5.70	2.50	5.88
May 10, 1937	Cary & Howe	U. S. Bond	500.00	2½	9.16	12.50	7.00	9.66
Aug. 1, 1951	William & Dorothy Chalfant	Cheshire County Savings Bank	200.00	3	1.00	6.00	5.00	2.00
July 16, 1916	Sophira A. Clark	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
July 19, 1929	Abbie S. Cook	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
Sept. 1, 1947	Elmer Coons	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
Dec. 8, 1940	Charles Cooper	U. S. Bond	150.00	2½		3.75	3.75	
Apr. 8, 1946	Edgar Currier	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
Oct. 3, 1950	Samuel Currier Trust	Manchester Savings Bank	210.00	3	2.09	6.50	5.00	3.39
Oct. 19, 1947	Frank L. Cutler	U. S. Bond	200.00	2½	20.00	5.00	5.00	25.00
Aug. 18, 1945	Horace & Harriet Darling	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
May 19, 1923	Louie Davenport	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
Oct. 15, 1936	Sylvester Davenport	U. S. Bond	200.00	2½		5.00	5.00	
Nov. 9, 1945	Amasa A. Davis	U. S. Bond	150.00	2½	2.25	3.75	3.00	3.00
Oct. 14, 1948	William S. Dean	U. S. Bond	150.00	2½	2.25	3.75	3.00	3.00
Feb. 7, 1946	Charles Dickerman	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½	1.25	2.50	2.50	1.25
Aug. 29, 1923	William Dickinson	U. S. Bond	200.00	2½	4.98	5.00	5.00	4.98
Sept. 30, 1921	Addie E. Dix	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
Mar. 1, 1945	Miles Doolittle	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
Nov. 1, 1911	Eliza M. Dunham	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
Jan. 22, 1941	Ira Leroy Dunham	U. S. Bond	250.00	2½	7.78	6.25	6.25	7.78
Sept. 20, 1923	Elmore & Cooper	U. S. Bond	150.00	2½		3.75	3.75	
Mar. 27, 1926	Frank Elliott	U. S. Bond	200.00	2½	5.00	5.00	4.00	6.00
Dec. 29, 1943	Sanford A. Emerson	U. S. Bond	200.00	2½	5.50	5.00	5.00	5.50
Aug. 29, 1930	Delia D. Estey	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
July 27, 1914	George B. Estey	U. S. Bond	450.00	2½	9.92	11.25	11.00	10.17
May 25, 1919	Kenneth Fales	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
Sept. 4, 1929	Leuel A. Fales	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
Nov. 26, 1930	F. D. Fisk	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½	1.09	2.50	2.50	1.09
Oct. 2, 1942	Charles A. Fletcher	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
Jan. 5, 1927	Lonnie A. Frazier	U. S. Bond	125.00	2½	27.05	3.13	3.00	27.18
Oct. 3, 1950	Arad Gilbert	Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
June 1, 1930	Geo. Goodwin & Frank Thomas	U. S. Bond	125.00	3	.32	3.76	3.00	1.08
May 27, 1931	Lorenzo Goss	U. S. Bond	900.00	2½	122.25	22.50	25.00	119.75
Aug. 24, 1937	Haile & Stebbins	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
Nov. 3, 1951	Oliver Hale	U. S. Bond	300.00	2½	4.00	7.50	7.50	4.00
Apr. 4, 1938	Albert L. Hall	Cheshire County Savings Bank	250.00	3		6.25	4.00	2.25
Nov. 11, 1943	Clifton B. Hall	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
Sept. 18, 1946	Warren M. Hall	Savings Bank	300.00	3	5.00	8.25	11.00	2.25
July 6, 1931	Doolittle Hancock	U. S. Bond	150.00	2½		3.75	4.00	1.75
Mar. 10, 1944	E. A. Hardy	U. S. Bond	200.00	2½	3.40	5.00	5.00	3.40
June 14, 1927	Henry Higginson	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
		U. S. Bond	150.00	2½	4.35	3.75	4.00	4.10

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Aug. 10, 1939	Edwin Hildreth	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	10.00	2.50	2.50	10.00
July 26, 1946	K. C. & R. S. Hildreth	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2		5.00	5.00	
Aug. 10, 1945	Lilla B. Hillard	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
July 25, 1927	Holland & Holton	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2		5.00	5.00	
Nov. 12, 1920	Jason R. Holman	U. S. Bond	500.00	2 1/2	6.12	12.50	11.00	7.62
Aug. 23, 1948	Warren D. Holman	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	3.00		5.00	3.00
Nov. 23, 1917	Holton & Nims	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/2		3.75	3.75	
Sept. 28, 1927	George C. Hopkins	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/2		3.75	3.75	
Aug. 10, 1922	James & Elbridge Horton	U. S. Bond	300.00	2 1/2	3.75	7.50	7.50	3.75
May 24, 1916	Hezekiah Horton	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	1.00	5.00	5.00	1.00
Dec. 4, 1928	F. W. Hosford	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/2	1.50	3.75	3.75	1.50
May 1, 1947	Clarence Howe	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
Aug. 7, 1932	Junietta B. Howe	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2		5.00	5.00	
Nov. 25, 1929	George E. Howe	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
Apr. 17, 1930	Clabritt I. Hubbard	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
Aug. 6, 1926	Charles Hubbard	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
Mar. 22, 1912	George H. & Sophira H. Ide	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
June 22, 1912	E. D. Jeffords	U. S. Bond	300.00	2 1/2	8.50	7.50	7.50	8.50
May 28, 1923	John Jeffords	U. S. Bond & 2 shares Am. Tel. & Tel. Co.	150.00	2 1/2		26.05	14.00	12.05
Jan. 24, 1949	Jones & Upham	Peterboro Savings Bank	100.00	3	.27	4.25	2.50	2.02
Apr. 25, 1933	Fred Hooker Jones	U. S. Bond	2,125.00	2 1/2	.12	53.12	53.24	
June 10, 1914	Julia W. Jones	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	5.88	2.50	2.50	5.88
July 1, 1947	Wm. S. Kimball	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
July 1, 1929	Willie King	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
Apr. 25, 1949	Albert Krumenaker	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	4.00	5.00	5.00	4.00
Sept. 4, 1921	Charles H. H. Langille	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
June 17, 1944	Philip G. Langille	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
Apr. 21, 1931	Rufus Langworthy	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
May 17, 1948	Neil E. I. Latham	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
Apr. 25, 1929	Mary LeBERT	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
Jan. 12, 1951	James & Agnes Lehane	Cheshire County Savings Bank	200.00	3	8.87	5.00	5.00	8.87
July 12, 1951	Richard & Rita Lehane	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00	3	.50	3.00	3.00	.50

\$ Plus \$9.00 per share.

Sept. 18, 1917	George W. Lewis	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/4		2.50	2.50
Jan. 5, 1931	Samuel Liscomb	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/4		3.75	3.75
May 14, 1928	Forrest S. Lowell	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/4		2.50	2.50
Apr. 24, 1920	Mrs. M. J. Madigan	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00	3	1.25	3.00	3.75
May 19, 1931	Elizabeth W. Markey	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/4		2.50	2.50
July 18, 1931	Anna Marsh	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/4		3.75	3.75
Sept. 18, 1946	Francis & Blanche Mason	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/4	3.75	2.50	4.00
May 30, 1948	Ralph E. Metcalf	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/4		2.50	2.50
July 22, 1941	Murzey & Bardwell	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/4		3.75	3.75
Feb. 22, 1930	Margaret C. Myers	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/4		2.50	2.50
Aug. 1, 1951	Herbert K. & Stella Newell	Cheshire County Savings Bank	200.00	3	1.00	6.00	3.00
Apr. 18, 1918	Amos J. Newstead	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/4	1.70	3.75	5.00
July 7, 1927	Dennis C. Nims	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/4		2.50	2.50
Mar. 4, 1929	O'Neal & Stearns	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/4	10.58	3.75	4.00
Nov. 19, 1914	Charles Owen	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/4	5.45	5.00	6.45
June 26, 1948	F. O. Packard	U. S. Bond	300.00	2 1/4	9.25	7.50	6.00
Mar. 25, 1943	Fred M. Perkins	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/4		2.50	2.50
Feb. 5, 1945	Edwin Pearson	U. S. Bond	600.00	2 1/4	12.00	15.00	14.00
July 16, 1929	Emma Peterson	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/4		2.50	2.50
Nov. 10, 1933	Augusta H. Pike	U. S. Bond & Cheshire County Savings Bank	300.00	2 1/4 +		8.50	5.00
Aug. 6, 1923	G. W. & C. M. Pike	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/4	3.50	5.00	7.00
Jan. 7, 1932	Charles and Fred Polley	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/4	9.42	3.75	9.42
Jan. 11, 1907	Emma Rice	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/4		2.50	2.50
Mar. 8, 1919	Henry A. Richardson	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/4	10.20	5.00	10.20
July 2, 1930	Gilbert Richmond	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/4	5.78	5.00	5.00
May 23, 1925	Edwin C. Robertson	U. S. Bond and 2 shares Am. Tel. & Tel. Co.	200.00	2 1/4		5.00	5.78
Dec. 18, 1918	George A. Robertson	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/4	15.04	27.30	28.84
Feb. 10, 1917	Orren C. Robertson	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/4	23.28	5.00	23.28
Oct. 23, 1929	Winifred F. Robertson	U. S. Bond	500.00	2 1/4	39.50	7.00	45.00
Aug. 1, 1929	Arthur Kouillard	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/4		5.00	5.00
Oct. 11, 1945	Charles Roy	Cheshire County Savings Bank	150.00	3	.38	4.50	4.88
Apr. 15, 1938	Henry A. Royce	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/4	12.50	2.50	15.00
Jan. 24, 1949	William Royce	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/4		5.00	5.00
Dec. 21, 1950	Robert R. Rubcor	Peterborough Savings Bank	150.00	3	42	6.38	2.80
Sept. 25, 1925	Sarah H. Saben	Cheshire County Savings Bank	200.00	3	+	6.00	1.00
Sept. 24, 1920	D. L. Sanderson	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/4	7.96	5.00	7.96
Sept. 22, 1926	Sargent & Pifer	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/4	9.55	5.00	9.55
Jan. 14, 1927	Harriet A. Savage	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/4		5.00	5.00
May 22, 1925	John E. Scott	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/4	3.69	2.50	2.50
Nov. 2, 1915	Mary B. Searle	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/4	5.96	5.00	2.19
Nov. 6, 1929	George E. Shattuck	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/4		5.00	5.96
Dec. 21, 1911	Louis N. Shepard	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/4		5.00	2.50

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Nov. 4, 1920	Sheridan Post No. 14, G. A. R.	U. S. Bond and Keene Savings Bank	272.72	3 +	2.18	7.18	9.18	.18
Aug. 5, 1929	George P. Slate	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	6.92	5.00	5.00	6.92
July 31, 1919	Corra Hooker Smith	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	8.34	10.68	6.50	12.52
Oct. 3, 1950	Harley & Ruby Sheldon	Manchesters Savings Bank	356.40	3	.25	3.00	2.50	.75
May 1, 1944	Irving Smith	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	32.50	5.00	5.00	32.50
June 7, 1923	Daniel H. Smith	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
Oct. 19, 1916	Mary Hooker Smith	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
May 17, 1948	G. Milan Smith	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
Dec. 11, 1933	Orson G. Smith	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
Oct. 27, 1920	Parson Smith	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
July 12, 1946	Pauline Smith	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
Oct. 30, 1929	Thomas H. Smith	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
May 16, 1951	William G. Smith	Cheshire County Savings Bank	200.00	3	2.00	6.00	4.00	4.00
Aug. 22, 1948	James G. Snow, 2nd	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
June 7, 1944	James & Joel Snow	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2		5.00	5.00	
Jan. 30, 1929	John G. Snow	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
June 10, 1939	James Spencer	U. S. Bond and Claremont Savings Bank	933.50	2 1/2 +	14.47	23.39	23.00	14.86
May 19, 1937	Halsey Sprague	U. S. Bond	100.00	3	1.63	2.50	2.50	1.63
Aug. 23, 1919	Althea M. Stearns	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	32.20	12.50	12.50	32.20
Dec. 4, 1939	Dwight & Willis Stearns	U. S. Bond	500.00	2 1/2	5.51	5.00	5.00	5.51
May 2, 1923	Newton Stearns	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
Jan. 30, 1913	Edward Stebbins	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	2.70	5.00	5.00	2.70
Jan. 19, 1918	Eliza A. Stebbins	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2		5.00	5.00	
May 5, 1906	Leonzo Stebbins	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2		5.00	5.00	
Sept. 14, 1948	Percy C. Stewart	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/2	2.25	3.75	3.00	3.00
Mar. 25, 1929	Dora A. Stratton	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
Dec. 2, 1946	Eliza E. Symonds	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	6.00	5.00	5.00	6.00
May 9, 1941	Lewis Taylor	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	11.83	5.00	5.00	11.83
Jan. 1, 1927	Prentiss W. Taylor	U. S. Bond	300.00	2 1/2	12.79	7.50	7.50	12.79
July 1, 1927	William Taylor	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	

§ Plus \$9.00 per share.

Dec. 14, 1920	William P. Taylor	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	
Jan. 18, 1912	Taylor & Blodgett	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	
Nov. 19, 1945	Edalbert J. Temple	U. S. Bond	200.00	3	14.50		19.50
Oct. 5, 1951	Charles & Fanny Thomas	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2		2.75	1.25
May 3, 1924	Charles & Mary Thomas	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	5.00	2.50	5.00
Sept. 10, 1945	Chester & Jennie Thomas	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	
Oct. 5, 1951	John W. Thomas	Cheshire County Savings Bank	150.00	3		4.13	4.13
May 14, 1930	Frank W. Tilden	U. S. Bond	150.00	3	3.64	3.75	3.64
Apr. 17, 1934	Walter C. Todd	U. S. Bond	400.00	2 1/2	14.88	10.00	14.88
Sept. 2, 1915	James O. Tuttle	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	
May 27, 1910	Albert W. Tyler	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	
July 20, 1908	E. Warren Tyler	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	
Jan. 29, 1923	Tyler & Barber	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	
Aug. 29, 1945	Charles Walker	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	
Feb. 28, 1944	Wm. G. Wallace	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	
May 9, 1949	Chester Waterman	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	8.75	2.50	8.75
Nov. 8, 1944	Wm. E. Watson	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	1.25	2.50	1.25
Mar. 15, 1937	Robert A. & Lulu M. Weeks	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/2	2.62	3.75	2.62
Feb. 11, 1939	Eva Fuller Wellman	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	24.30	5.00	24.30
Sept. 9, 1924	George & Alonzo Wellman	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/2		3.75	
Sept. 1, 1914	George A. Wheeler	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/2		3.75	
Mar. 20, 1950	Guy Whitney	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	
July 30, 1928	Katherine Wilkins	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	
Oct. 21, 1910	Edwin S. Wright	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	
Apr. 30, 1951	Randolph Wright	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	
Oct. 15, 1947	Alta Thomas Williams	Cheshire County Savings Bank	200.00	3	2.00	6.00	3.00
Mar. 21, 1946	Frank L. Williams	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/2	3.75	5.00	4.50
Feb. 4, 1923	Chas. H. Wood	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	26.55	5.00	31.55
Mar. 15, 1944	H. Ralph Wood	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	
June 12, 1912	Irene F. Wood	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	18.00	5.00	20.00
July 26, 1917	Helen A. Worden	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	
Oct. 9, 1920	Joseph A. Wyatt	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	
Jan. 5, 1923	Wyman & Leland	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	
Jan. 4, 1952	George Wright	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00	3		1.82	1.82
Jan. 5, 1952	Cora S. Merritt	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00	3		4.00	4.00
Jan. 5, 1952	David E. Houghaling	Cheshire County Savings Bank	200.00	3		4.00	4.00
Mar. 13, 1952	Henry C. Spaulding	Cheshire County Savings Bank	200.00	3		1.50	1.50
Apr. 29, 1952	Robert & Helen Browning	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00	3		.63	.63
May 14, 1952	Prentiss W. Taylor II	Cheshire County Savings Bank	50.00	3		2.00	2.00
June 6, 1952	William A. Horton	Cheshire County Savings Bank	200.00	3		1.50	1.50
June 30, 1952	Stearns-Madigan	Cheshire County Savings Bank	200.00	3		.75	.75
Aug. 7, 1952	Warren Keniston	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00	3		.25	.25
Sept. 11, 1952	John Wilder	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00	3			
Sept. 11, 1952	Rev. Alphonso C. Williams	Cheshire County Savings Bank	200.00	3			
Sept. 23, 1952	Ezra B. Pike	Cheshire County Savings Bank	200.00	3			

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF HINSDALE ON DECEMBER 31, 1952

Date of Creation	Name of Cemetery Trust Fund	How Invested	Amt. of Principal Beginning of Year	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income on Hand at Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
Sept. 27, 1952	Henry English	Cheshire County Savings Bank	200.00	3				
Nov. 5, 1952	Ash-Jesseman	Cheshire County Savings Bank	200.00	3				
Nov. 8, 1952	Charles & Fred Polley	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00	3				
Dec. 24, 1952	Fred Kendrick	Cheshire County Savings Bank	200.00	3				
TOTALS			\$45,775.80			\$1192.46	\$1061.70	\$960.40

LIBRARY TRUST FUNDS

Date of Creation	Name of Library Trust Fund	How Invested	Amt. of Principal Beginning of Year	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income on Hand at Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
Apr. 23, 1923	Annie E. Amidon	U. S. Bonds	\$10,000.00	2 1/2		\$250.00	\$250.00	
Nov. 12, 1921	Harrison M. Bowker	U. S. Bonds	500.00	2 1/2		12.50	12.50	
July 12, 1916	Henry A. Jones	U. S. Bonds	500.00	2 1/2		12.50	12.50	
Apr. 30, 1910	Althea M. Stearns	U. S. Bonds	200.00	2 1/2		5.00	5.00	
			\$11,200.00			\$280.00	\$280.00	

TOWN OF HINSDALE
Trustees of Trust Funds
Statement of Securities and Bank Deposits
 As of December 31, 1952

Location of Deposit	Name of Fund	Bank Book Number	Amount
Deposit Box, Keene National Bank	U. S. Bonds		\$44,700 00
Mechanics Savings Bank	Annie E. Amidon	13232	2,500 00
Mechanics Savings Bank	Cora Hooker Smith	13665	356 40
Manchester Savings Bank	Annie E. Amidon	158234	2,500 00
Manchester Savings Bank	A. W. Cady	162065	190 00
Peterborough Savings Bank	Jones & Upham	24969	100 00
Peterborough Savings Bank	William Royce	24970	150 00
Claremont Savings Bank	James Spencer	4257	433 50
Keene Savings Bank	Sheridan Post No. 14	9957	72 72
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Clifton Hall	43572	150 00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Robert E. Ruben	43666	200 00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Harriet E. Bascom	43667	88 18
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Margaret C. Bergeron	43668	500 00
Manchester Savings Bank	Harley & Ruby Sheldon	200433	100 00
Manchester Savings Bank	Arad Gilbert	200434	125 00
Manchester Savings Bank	Samuel Currier	200435	210 00
Manchester Savings Bank	Joseph Bell	200436	200 00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Augusta H. Pike	43902	200 00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Mrs. M. J. Madigan	44110	100 00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Randolph Wright	44129	200 00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Wm. G. Smith	44157	200 00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Richard & Rita Lebane	44342	100 00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	James F. & Agnes Lehane	44343	100 00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Wm. & Dorothy Chalfant	44420	200 00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Herbert K. & Stella Newell	44419	200 00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Arthur Rouillard	44506	150 00

Cheshire County Savings Bank	John W. Thomas	44699	150 00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Charles & Fanny Thomas	44700	100 00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Oliver Hale	44764	250 00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	David E. Houghtaling	45043	200 00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Leon Merritt	45041	200 00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	George Wright	45042	100 00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Henry C. Spaulding	45276	100 00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Robert & Helena Browning	45415	50 00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Prentiss W. Taylor II	45467	200 00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	William A. Horton	45533	200 00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Stearns-Madigan	45617	100 00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Warren Keniston	45803	100 00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	John Wilder	45948	100 00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Dr. Alphonse C. Williams	45949	200 00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Ezra Pike	45990	200 00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Henry English	46022	200 00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Ash-Jesseman	46201	200 00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Charles & Fred Polley	46203	100 00
Cheshire County Savings Bank	Fred Kendrick	46381	200 00
Total Securities and Savings Bank Funds			\$56,975 80

CHECKING ACCOUNT

Balance Keene National Bank

960 04

\$57,935 84

SECURITIES HELD FOR TRUST ACCOUNTS

Two shares Am. Tel. & Tel. Co.

Two shares Am. Tel. & Tel. Co.

TOTAL

TRUST ACCOUNT

John Jeffords

Edwin C. Roberts

CERTIFICATE NO.

M 440974

M 440973

SECURITIES HELD FOR SAFE KEEPING

U. S. Gov. Bond Series F

U. S. Gov. Bond Series F

U. S. Gov. Bond Series F

U. S. Gov. Bond Series F

U. S. Bond Series G

Hinsdale Fire Department

Hinsdale Fire Department

Hinsdale Fire Department

Hinsdale Playground Comm.

Hinsdale Library Assoc.

M 971947 F

M 539323 F

M 799615 F

Q 1280454 F

C 344435 G

\$3,125 00

TOWN OF HINSDALE
Trustees of Trust Funds
 Summary Statement of Trust Fund Principal and Income
 Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1952

Funds	Amount Dec. 31, 1951	Principal Added 1952	Balance Dec. 31, 1951	Income During 1952	Expended During 1952	Balance Dec. 31, 1952
Cemetery Funds	\$43,325.80		\$829.28	\$1,192.46	\$1,061.70	\$960.04
Library Funds	11,200.00			280.00	280.00	
New Trust Funds During 1952						
George Wright						
Cora S. Merritt		\$100.00				
David E. Houghtaling		200.00				
Henry C. Spaulding		200.00				
Robert & Helena Browning		100.00				
Prentiss W. Taylor II		50.00				
William A. Horton		200.00				
Stearns-Madigan		200.00				
Warren Keniston		100.00				
John Wilder		100.00				
Rev. Alphonso C. Williams		100.00				
Ezra Pike		200.00				
Henry English		200.00				
Ash-Jesseman		200.00				
Charles & Fred Polley		100.00				
Fred Kendrick		200.00				
Totals	\$54,525.80	\$2,450.00	\$829.28	\$1,472.46	\$1,341.70	\$960.04

Summary	
Amount of Principal	\$56,975.80
Amount of Accumulative Income (Check book balance)	960.04
Total Assets	\$57,935.84

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

JASON W. HOLMAN, Treas.
 RAY L. FLETCHER,
 PRENTISS W. TAYLOR,
 Trustees.

January 12, 1953

January 15, 1953.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

The books of account of the Trustees of Trust Funds for the Town of Hinsdale have been audited as of December 31, 1952, and have been found to agree with the bank balance at the Keene National Bank of Keene, N. H. In addition we have examined all of the securities, including those held in safe-seeking for the Library Committee, the Playground Committee and the Fire Department, and have found them to agree with the register maintained by the Treasurer of the Trust Fund account. All passbooks held, have been checked against the register and were found to agree with the records as to depository bank, account number and original principal balance.

Auditors, Town of Hinsdale, N. H.
HAROLD C. HOLLAND,
TUCKER H. DAVID,

VITAL STATISTICS

BIRTHS

<i>Date</i>	<i>Place</i>	<i>Baby's Name</i>	<i>Father's Name</i>	<i>Mother's Maiden Name</i>
1951				
Sept 11	Brattleboro, Vt.	Lisa	Fred Kendrick, Jr.	Luella B. Streeter
Dec. 1	Brattleboro, Vt.	Anne Kathryn	Edward L. Young	Shirley A. Monette
Dec. 4	Brattleboro, Vt.	Paul Anthony	Richard A. Field	Gertrude B. May
Dec. 9	Brattleboro, Vt.	Gail Ellen	Walter Dascomb	Delia B. Santaw
Dec. 16	Brattleboro, Vt.	Ronald Francis	Fred'k P. Burdo	Lorraine M. Crowell
Dec. 17	Brattleboro, Vt.	Timothy James	Arthur G. Scott Jr.	Mary I. Mros
Dec. 21	Brattleboro, Vt.	Ernest Marvin	Donald H. Barrett	Barbara M. Johnson
1952				
Jan. 13	Brattleboro, Vt.	Margo Mattie	Geo. M. Hamilton	Margaret E. Riendeau
Jan. 17	Brattleboro, Vt.	Earl Clayton	Clayton Hastings	Alice T. Bailey
Jan. 21	Brattleboro, Vt.	Kenneth Ray	Nelson R. Prouty	Alma L. Frye
Jan. 23	Brattleboro, Vt.	Debra Jane	Russell M. Garfield	Genie May Philbrick
Feb. 16	Brattleboro, Vt.	John Dell	Leland O. Smith	Dori Beaudreault
Mar. 1	Brattleboro, Vt.	Michele Denise	Hugh K. Jones, Jr.	Carolyn M. Grover
Mar. 4	Brattleboro, Vt.	Donald Armas	Veikko A. Jarvi	Viola M. Luukko
Mar. 5	Brattleboro, Vt.	Theodore Allan	Ross W. Stanley	Priscilla G. Towns
Mar. 5	Brattleboro, Vt.	Gary Robert	Robert D. LaShier	Charlotte R. Boroski
Apr. 5	Keene	Donna Marie	John P. Suskawicz	Felicia S. Matuszewski
Apr. 7	Brattleboro, Vt.	Alan Guy	Arthur G. Butler	Elizabeth F. Hudson
Apr. 10	Brattleboro, Vt.	Catherine Jane	Ralph V. Beckwith	Harriet J. Roy
Apr. 27	Brattleboro, Vt.	James Francis	Herman Nolin Jr.	Beverly L. Young
May 6	Brattleboro, Vt.	Kathryn Ann	Louis S. LeBlanc	Liberta M. Amarosa
May 12	Brattleboro, Vt.	Susan Marion	Elwin E. Standclift	Eleanor L. Field
May 17	Brattleboro, Vt.	Raymond Everett	Everett Lovering Jr.	Doris L. Burbeck
May 17	Brattleboro, Vt.	Robert Malcolm	Everett Lovering Jr.	Doris L. Burbeck
May 23	Brattleboro, Vt.	Richard Edward	Edward P. Tacy	Winona P. Clow
May 27	Brattleboro, Vt.	Kenneth Malcolm	Robert F. Delano	Phyllis I. Higgins
June 12	Brattleboro, Vt.	Stephen Louis	Louis E. Howe	Barbara G. Johnson
June 13	Brattleboro, Vt.	Dennis Wilder	Wilder Haskell, Jr.	Phyllis E. Perkins
June 23	Brattleboro, Vt.	Albert Joseph	Romauld A. Martel	Nettie M. Hutchins
June 26	Brattleboro, Vt.	Wanda Lorraine	Winston D. Cobb	Maxine L. Jablonski
July 1	Brattleboro, Vt.	Patrick John	Paul Ed. Nesbitt	Erline L. Carey
July 14	Brattleboro, Vt.	John Paul	John P. Gogel	Stella M. Bolden
July 15	Brattleboro, Vt.	Dennis Joseph	Chas. J. Willette	Doris K. Benjamin
July 28	Brattleboro, Vt.	William Terrence	Wm. T. Coughlin	Dorothy B. Crossman
Aug. 5	Brattleboro, Vt.	Jaclyn Elizabeth	John L. Miller Jr.	Arvilla M. Hudson
Aug. 9	Brattleboro, Vt.	Darrell Arthur	Albert V. Bashaw	Marion R. Crosley
Aug. 14	Brattleboro, Vt.	David Ernest	Richard Bradbury	Bertha A. Currier
Aug. 28	Brattleboro, Vt.	John Richard	Frank Bonnett	Allene Middleton
Sept. 10	Brattleboro, Vt.	Marilyn Elizabeth	Russell E. Oncal	Eleanor A. Butler
Sept. 13	Brattleboro, Vt.	Gary Michael	Geo. E. Podmore	May M. Gilman
Sept. 22	Brattleboro, Vt.	Gary	Rob't Ebbig'sen	Beverly J. Bennett
Oct. 2	Brattleboro, Vt.	Melanie	Wm. F. Stetson Jr.	Lorraine M. Gove
Oct. 13	Brattleboro, Vt.	Catherine Ellen	Harris O. Higgins	Dorothy M. Smith
Oct. 14	Brattleboro, Vt.	Douglas James	Richard E. Lehan	Rita O. Gilmet
Oct. 18	Brattleboro, Vt.	Candace Jane	Clifton L. Stephens	Avis B. Collins
Oct. 26	Brattleboro, Vt.	Jeanette Theresa	Arnold McCauley	Thresa V. Burdo
Nov. 2	Brattleboro, Vt.	Mortan Albert	Mortan A. Davis Jr.	June I. Guerin
Nov. 7	Brattleboro, Vt.	Elizabeth Ann	Julius E. Tucker	Mettie R. Ryder
Nov. 9	Brattleboro, Vt.	Cathy Ann	Jos. C. Pawelczyk	Rhea L. LaBonte
Nov. 10	Keene	Ronald Paul	Geo. D. Merton	Frances T. Boroski
Nov. 11	Brattleboro, Vt.	Francis Charles	Albert H. Willette	Inez G. Whittenmore
Nov. 11	Brattleboro, Vt.	Daniel Brian	Dwight C. Doyle Jr.	Shirley A. Looman
Nov. 12	Brattleboro, Vt.	Eugene Clyde 3rd	Eugene Kennedy Jr.	Norma J. Garignan
Dec. 6	Greenfield, Mass.	John Thomas	Richard M. Neily	Iris McCullough
Oct. 10	Montague, Mass.	Edward Francis	Francis Cherwa	Eleanor M. Koblinski

MARRIAGES

<i>Date</i>	<i>Place</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Residence</i>
Jan. 5	Hinsdale	Donald R. Matthews Sylvia B. Smith	Athol, Mass. Athol, Mass.
Jan. 6	Hinsdale	John P. Gogel Stella M. Kulikowski	Hinsdale Hinsdale
Jan. 19	Hinsdale	Frank P. Kugler Esther C. Holley	Hatfield, Mass. Hatfield, Mass.
Feb. 2	Brattleboro, Vt.	Francis A. LaPlante Marjorie I. Hall	Hinsdale Brattleboro, Vt.
Feb. 9	Brattleboro, Vt.	Donald W. Dandrea Eleanor M. Sprague	Brattleboro, Vt. Hinsdale
Feb. 24	New Haven, Vt.	Robert Laberge Laura Sherman	Hinsdale New Haven, Vt.
Mar. 1	Hinsdale	Joseph A. Delue Dorothy J. Hodson	Philadelphia, Pa. Pawtucket, R. I.
Mar. 5	Hinsdale	Adelard L. Frenier Janice E. Merrithew	Greenfield, Mass. Greenfield, Mass.
Mar. 29	Brattleboro, Vt.	William Heckman Alma Juaire	Hinsdale Brattleboro, Vt.
Mar. 30	Hinsdale	Eugene W. Kelley Irene C. Aker	Yuma, Arizona Willimansett, Mass.
Apr. 2	Hinsdale	Frank P. Washer Christine M. McDonough	Greenfield, Mass. Greenfield, Mass.
Apr. 5	Brattleboro, Vt.	Robert G. Stephens Patricia Ellis	Hinsdale Brattleboro, Vt.
Apr. 16	Hinsdale	Bernard J. Rosewarne Lilly B. Wishard	Gill, Mass. Athol, Mass.
Apr. 16	Hinsdale	Richard L. Jackson Eva Irene Brouillet	Greenfield, Mass. Greenfield, Mass.
Apr. 22	Brattleboro, Vt.	Stephen E. Packard Barbara B. Anderson	Hinsdale Brattleboro, Vt.
May 3	Keene	Winfred C. Reed Victoria J. Jarvis	Hinsdale Keene
May 3	Hinsdale	Robert T. Thompson Florence A. Fabisak	E. Northfield, Mass. Hinsdale
May 3	Hinsdale	Anthony Cherwa Mary Joan Pelkey	Hinsdale Hinsdale
May 10	Keene	Albert W. Duso, Jr. June E. Marchant	Hinsdale Keene
May 10	Hinsdale	Raymond W. Benoit Agnes Mominee	Southbridge, Mass. Southbridge, Mass.
May 30	Hinsdale	George E. Lamb Corinne E. Clark	New York, N. Y. Hinsdale
June 1	Springfield	Roger G. Covey Joyce M. Rowe	Hinsdale Springfield
June 4	Hinsdale	Albert B. Northway Margaret J. Greenwood	Greenfield, Mass. Greenfield, Mass.
June 14	Hinsdale	Bradford B. Nees Rita L. Sanstock	Hinsdale Boston, Mass.
June 25	W. Swanzey	Robert A. Kennedy Christine Starkey	W. Swanzey Hinsdale

MARRIAGES

<i>Date</i>	<i>Place</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Residence</i>
June 29	Hinsdale	Joseph S. Major Doris A. Manch	Hinsdale Westmoreland
June 29	Hinsdale	Hubbard H. Newton Mabel E. Temple	Hinsdale Hinsdale
July 12	Brattleboro, Vt.	Richard K. Cunningham Janet F. Wallace	Brattleboro, Vt. Hinsdale
July 26	Hinsdale	Clarence C. Gray Janice L. LaPlante	Bernardston, Mass. Bernardston, Mass.
Aug. 1	Hinsdale	Henry J. Dupuis Virginia M. Vescovi	Gardner, Mass. Athol, Mass.
Aug. 2	Hinsdale	Victor Fecto Beverly R. Foster	Hinsdale Hinsdale
Aug. 23	Hinsdale	A. Chapin Wright Cecilia A. Wood	Brattleboro, Vt. Brattleboro, Vt.
Sept. 6	Hinsdale	Henry P. Zaiko Harriet P. Sicard	Hinsdale Turners Falls, Mass.
Oct. 4	Hinsdale	Earl W. Amey Bertha J. DeVittori	Phillipsburg, N. J. Phillipsburg, N. J.
Oct. 18	Hinsdale	Christy Buslawich Mary Bolden	Athol, Mass. Hinsdale
Oct. 26	Hinsdale	Richard A. Woodley Maxine E. Parker	Brattleboro, Vt. Brattleboro, Vt.
Oct. 26	Hinsdale	Richard D. Broderick Shirley T. Kennedy	Greenfield, Mass. Greenfield, Mass.
Nov. 1	Brattleboro, Vt.	Winston F. Nees Dolores J. Wescott	Hinsdale Hinsdale
Nov. 3	Hinsdale	Clifford A. Strange Ethel M. Gorham	Brattleboro, Vt. Brattleboro, Vt.
Dec. 6	Hinsdale	Albert H. Lebert Phyllis Berry	Greenfield, Mass. Greenfield, Mass.
Dec. 20	Hinsdale	Roaul W. Rochon Marjorie L. Purrington	Greenfield, Mass. Orange, Mass.

DEATHS

<i>Date</i>	<i>Place</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Age</i>
Jan. 23	Brattleboro, Vt.	Kenneth R. Prouty	2 days
Feb. 10	Hinsdale	Mary K. Jasinski	87
Feb. 11	Concord	Edwin C. Winchester	87
Feb. 22	Hinsdale	Lenna M. Detour	60
Mar. 4	Winchester	Frank M. Fuller	79
Mar. 8	Hinsdale	Frank Nowicki	68
Mar. 9	Hinsdale	John Jasienski	87
Mar. 22	Winchester	Rufina M. Sanderson	87
Apr. 4	Hinsdale	Leander Delphy	94
Apr. 17	Winchester	Arthur G. Sargent	91
May 22	Brattleboro, Vt.	Mary Buraczynski	64
May 27	Brattleboro, Vt.	Aurora L. Davis	76
May 9	Hinsdale	Samuel L. Purkis	71
June 9	Hinsdale	Isabelle M. Danforth	71
June 19	Hinsdale	Frank W. Jeffords	69
July 24	Hinsdale	Robert A. Weeks	84
Aug. 2	Hinsdale	David M. Ferguson	86
Aug. 17	Hinsdale	James A. Reid	54
Aug. 24	Hartford, Vt.	Alphonse J. Piette	59
Sept. 1	Keene	Edith L. Wheeler	49
Sept. 12	Keene	Mary E. Kerylow	40
Oct. 7	Brattleboro, Vt.	Ruth P. McAuliffe	52
Oct. 9	Hinsdale	Joyce E. Howe	16
Oct. 11	Concord	Maxine Richards	50
Oct. 20	Brattleboro, Vt.	Durrell A. Bashaw	2 Months
Nov. 1	Brattleboro, Vt.	Florence O. Stearns	63
Nov. 11	Hinsdale	Mattie B. Mead	78
Nov. 19	Hinsdale	Charles E. Trask	64
Nov. 23	Concord	Edith M. Dehlen	54
Dec. 7	Hinsdale	Wladyslaw Czajkowski	67
Dec. 29	Hinsdale	John A. Picard	79
Dec. 29	Hinsdale	Joseph L. Dube	50

BODIES BROUGHT TO TOWN

<i>Date</i>	<i>Place of Death</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Age</i>
Jan. 14	Woonsocket, R. I.	Mary Y. Vincent	71
Jan. 23	Waterbury, Conn.	Evelyn Hart	97
Feb. 1	Springfield, Mass.	Julia A. Newcomb	86
Mar. 13	Winchester	Eva Smulkowski	86
Mar. 22	Brattleboro, Vt.	Allen S. Weatherhead	8
Mar. 27	Turners Falls, Mass.	Stanislaw Yasinskich	13
Apr. 7	Brattleboro, Vt.	Leon C. Hull	63
Apr. 8	Brattleboro, Vt.	Clinton M. Joslyn	79
May 23	Northampton, Mass.	Luther E. Flanders	89
June 21	Ware, Mass.	Eva L. Polley	73
June 23	Deep River, Conn.	Harlan F. Amidon	54
July 4	Winchester	John Napierkowski	60
Aug. 29	Springfield, Mass.	Harriet Williams	78
Nov. 30	Brattleboro, Vt.	Julia A. Streeter	80
Dec. 13	Northampton, Mass.	Walter A. Saben	82
Dec. 17	Brattleboro, Vt.	Anna M. Sosnoski	40
Dec. 22	St. Petersburg, Fla.	Grace W. Butler	76

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At a legall meeting of the inhabitants of the town of Hindsdale, in the province of New Hampshire on the 25th of September anno domini of 1753, Capt. Orlando Bridgman was appointed by the Charter of said town, moderator of said meeting.

Selectmen: voted that Messrs Daniel Shattuck, John Evans and Lieut. Benoni Wright be selectmen.

Assessors: voted that Lieut. Jonathan Belding, Ebenezer Hindsdale, esq. Messrs. Daniel Shattuck, John Evans and Lieut. Benoni Wright be assessors for said town.

Clerk: voted that Ebenezer Hindsdale, esq. be clerk of said town.

Treasurer: voted that Capt. Orlando Bridgman be treasurer of said town.

Constable: Voted that Sergt. Caleb How be constable and collector of said town.

Surveyors: Voted that Joseph Stebbins, Junr. and Sergt. Thomas B. Taylor be surveyors of highways.

Fence Viewers: Voted that Capt. Orlando Bridgman and Peter Evans be fence viewers.

Tything: Voted that Peter Evans be tythingman for said town.

Field Driver: Voted that Aaron Cooper be field driver.

Hog Reave: Voted that Daniel Shattuck, Junr. by hog reave.

Voted that the sum of Thirteen pounds, six shillings and eight pence, Silver at 6/8 per ounce be levyed on the Rateable Poles and Estates of the Inhabitants and Proprietors of said town in order to defray the charge of preaching for the future and the Assessors are hereby directed to assess the same.

Voted that Ebenezer Hindsdale and Josiah Willard, esq. Capt. Orlando Bridgman, Sergt. Caleb How and Joseph Stebbins, Junr. be and hereby are appointed a committee to Lott out the Publick Lotts required to be laid out in said town by charter.

Voted that the necessary charge of surveying said Lands be defrayed by said town and the assessors are hereby directed to assess the same with the beforementioned Thirteen Pounds, Six shillings and Eight pence.

EBENEZER HINDSDALE,
Clerk.
